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LEADERS DISCUSS PARAMOUNT ISSUES IN COAST SECTION

Gulfport Harbor, Paving of Highway 49, Construction of Short Cut and Agricultural Developments Are Of Vital Interest in Opinion of Coast Leaders.

By W. D. ROBINSON
Pass Christian.

Development of the port of Gulfport, completion of the paving of highway 49 from Gulfport to Memphis, construction of the short cut section of the Old Spanish Trail to New Orleans, along with paving between Bay St. Louis and the Louisiana line and the expansion of the agricultural industry of this section are of paramount importance to the Mississippi Coast at this time, in the opinion of Reece O. Bickenshaw, of Gulfport, president of the Gulfport Chamber of Commerce.

"As I see the situation," Mr. Bickenshaw said, "the development of the port of Gulfport is of the greatest importance, not only to the Mississippi Coast but to the whole State. Every section of the State would derive benefit therefrom, either directly or indirectly. It would give us cheap water transportation to all parts of the world and would give our people more industries, which would mean a much larger city, for the factories and increase in shipping would create pay rolls.

"Paving of highway 49 to Memphis would furnish a route for motor traffic from the north and middle west and would bring thousands of visitors to the coast. Some of them undoubtedly would stay or build homes here and become permanent residents.

"Construction of what is known as the short cut link in the Old Spanish Trail to New Orleans and the paving of the highway between Bay St. Louis and the Louisiana line would give us a through paved highway to the west and bring many tourists from that section. We already have a paved route to the east and the completion of the short cut link would put us on a transcontinental road.

"Expansion of the agricultural and live stock industry in the coast region is essential. Our soil and climate are both ideal for agriculture and dairying. There is an opportunity in this line for thousands of more people who can make a comfortable, independent living. Development of agriculture and dairying would give us permanent background and furnish raw material for new industries.

E. J. Adam, Sr., of Pass Christian, president of the Harrison county Board of Supervisors, sees great possibilities in the expansion of the oyster industry and in the development of dairying in the coast section. Asked for his opinion about what is best to be done about developing this region, Mr. Adam said:

"I will answer by first taking just enough space to add my approval of the step you have taken to get expressions from observing citizens of the coast section, and especially at this time, when conditions have forced our people to turn both vision and thought more seriously toward the future.

"The Mississippi Coast section has been bountifully blessed by a most generous Providence. In fact, nature has done so much for this particular area that its people, to a large extent, have not felt it necessary heretofore to lend any additional efforts in promoting, developing or extending the resources and attractions that abound hereabout.

"Just 'what is the best' to promote the permanent development of our section is somewhat difficult to agree upon, for there appears to be so many industries and developments in and around us that naturally a wide diversion of opinion prevails, each of which can be substantiated by strong and convincing arguments.

"Here we have the resort feature, we have the trucking feature, we have the oyster industry, canning of shrimp, production of fish, growing of pecans, fruits and strawberries and dairying. In all of these many have found profitable employment. In my opinion there are two that appear to be the most promising for permanent prosperity, and they are dairying and the oyster industry. In naming these two I do not want to be understood as being unappreciative of our section as a resort throughout the entire year, nor do I fail to realize the revenue and profits that have been and can be made from trucking, fruit and berry growing. They all offer profitable investments, but for permanency and over increasing profits the cow and the oyster stand out as the best for this section to base its hope for a bright future.

"In the development of the oyster industry there is probably less cost than in any other occupation of profit. It is known that large oysters have been raised from handling oysters in the past, and under proper observation and enforcement of the laws and regulations by all engaged in the industry and by officials the extent and benefits that this industry can be made to reach is most immeasurable.

"For dairying there is no section that offers more advantages than the Gulf Coast line. For practically twelve months in the year the cattle can be kept on the range. An unlimited supply of the purest grass is available at all times. The climate is ideal for raising cattle and the soil is rich and fertile.

"Youngberries," he said, "are delicious and can be served in many ways. They make good pies and preserves. Raisin pies, for instance, they yield an abundance of juice. If the industry is developed on a large scale, preserving, extracting and juice factories unquestionably would follow. Youngberries, which are now growing along the coast have been traveling through the soil and climate since the time of the first settlers.

H. WILBUR DRIVER IS ANNOUNCED

As Candidate For Supervisor
Beat 5—Stands For Economy and Low Taxes.

Born reared and lived here all his life, acquainted with conditions and people of his county and more particularly with these elements of Beat 5, H. Wilbur Driver, resident of this city is formally announced as a candidate for Supervisor from this, the Bay St. Louis district, in the columns of the County Paper.

In presenting the name of Wilbur Driver for the consideration of voters at the August primaries for one of the important offices within the gift of the people, The Echo does so fully cognizant of the fact that should the people choose to elect him he will serve in that thorough important and efficient manner by which rule his everyday life has been measured. A close student of affairs, he is very observant and thereby particularly well-posted, which would enable him to administer to the affairs of the Board in a manner mostly desired.

"I favor improvement and a most progressive administration," says Mr. Driver, "but economy would be ever uppermost in my mind, if elected. Our people wish taxes reduced. This to my mind would be the one most outstanding improvement—the improvement of all things and of all times. Our people are praying for a relief from burdens, and this would indeed be the best relief, particularly in these times when things are so stressed. Mr. Driver informs The Echo that he plans for a thorough business administration. "The county is a big business," he says, "and must be conducted in such manner."

His announcement is commended to the serious consideration of the voters. In time he plans to see all of the voters and present his candidacy personally for their individual consideration.

TAYLOR BAND TO GIVE PROGRAM HERE

The Rhythm Band of Taylor School of which Mrs. W. W. Stockstill is director, will present a program of music, songs and plays Tuesday, May 5, 7:30 o'clock, to which the public is invited.

The entertainment proceeds will be applied to the Parent-Teachers Association, work at the school, and the popular price of 10 cents will be charged. The school has already paid for the school radio but approximately \$25 is needed to defray expenses incurred for necessary equipment for the band.

Benefit Card Party

St. Margaret's Daughters are giving a benefit card party this Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock at the Hotel Weston for the benefit of the general fund.

Attend Funeral.

Leo Seal and R. J. Ladner of Bay St. Louis attended the funeral Wednesday at Carriere of James Lenoir, former Hancock county resident, who died at Richlon.

able nine months in the year. Not only is the milk and meat of the cow in ever increasing demand, but the hide, hair, hoofs and horns are all marketable. Even the bones are saleable. Around the small farms ten or twelve dairy cows make a profitable asset, and with the assembling of numerous small herds of such cows the locating of creameries, cheese factories and condemneries will follow, developing a permanent prosperity.

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FATHERS' NIGHT SUCCESSFUL AND WELL ATTENDED

Entertainment Given By
Central Parent-Teachers'
Association Was Pleasant Gathering.

A crowd that filled the auditorium gathered Tuesday night for the Fathers' Night celebration given at the Central High School by the Parent-Teachers' Association in tribute to the fathers of the organization and the school. A pleasing program was rendered with songs and other numbers. Edith Griffith, first grade, sang two numbers. Rose Barnes and Mildred Cagle played a piano duet.

Mrs. Donald Marshall presented an interesting history of the P. T. A. A "fathers trio" composed of D. C. Griffith, Dr. James A. Evans and Fred Wright, sang, accompanied by Mrs. H. U. Carty at the piano. The ladies of the P. T. A. formed a quartet composed of Mrs. C. C. Clark, Mrs. C. C. McDonald, Mrs. R. B. Logan and Miss Marie Louise Renaud, sang accompanied by Mrs. Donald Marshall at the piano.

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FIRE AT RAILROAD BRIDGE

Passing Train Ignites Two
Bents of Piling on L. & N.
Trestle.

The pilings on two bents of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad bridge over the Bay of St. Louis were burned Saturday night ignited from sparks from a passing train, the first starting between 8 and 9 o'clock and burning with high flames for some time. The destruction was such that trains were delayed until about 2:30 Sunday morning. The construction crew repaired the damage with dispatch.

Owen Crawford road master, writes the Echo this week expressing appreciation for the citizens who aided in extinguishing the fire. Mr. Crawford's letter follows:

"If you have room in this week's issue of the Sea Coast Echo I would appreciate it if you will express for the Railroad Company our sincere thanks to those of its citizens who assisted us so efficiently in extinguishing the fire on Bay St. Louis Trestle last Saturday night. Some of the citizens actually engaged in fighting the fire, while others promptly entered the loan of fire extinguishers. Others voluntarily flagged front street crossing for motor cars going back and forth, and loaned their aid in many other ways. The Railroad Company certainly appreciates such an attitude and spirit of co-operation."

CHANGES MADE IN SERVICES AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Every Sunday Preaching
Service Instead of Every
Other Sunday—Will
Help Work of Church

Changes in the plan of work of the First Baptist Church have been announced by Rev. W. S. Allen, pastor. The order of services will be as follows:

One regular worship and preaching service every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. This will take place of our present plan of having service every other Sunday. 10:40 A. M. Sunday School. 11:00 A. M. Worship and Preaching. 3:40 P. M. Young People's Meeting. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:45.

This plan eliminates the Sunday night service. It will give us one regular worship and preaching service every Sunday. We are hoping that this plan will help our work. I will have services at Pass Christian every Sunday night.

Three new deacons have been elected by the Church and will be formally ordained and recognized this coming Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock service. The three elected are Dr. A. L. Smith, Dr. D. C. Griffith and Mr. A. L. Middleton. The Woman's Missionary Society is conducting a Mission Study Class this week. The book being used is "Mission Trails." This study is creating quite a bit of interest.

Takes Course.

Dr. B. L. Ramsey, who has been in New York for the past three months taking a post graduate course in dentistry, returned home Tuesday. He will have an office in the Masonic temple.

OBSERVE NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK

A Community Wide Committee Is Arranging Music Programs For Next Week

National Music Week, May 3-9, will be celebrated this year in Bay St. Louis and community with a series of programs by various groups. The celebration opens Sunday with special music at the First Methodist church. The Schubert Music Club will give a program at the Central High School in which all schools of the city will participate. Everyone in the community is invited to attend all of the programs of the week which will be a community-wide observance.

The committee this year consists of: Mrs. H. U. Carty, chairman; Miss Marie Louise Renaud, Mrs. W. W. Stockstill, Brother Andrew, Brother Peter, Mother Claire, representing the schools of the city; Miss E. L. Carty, from the Schubert Music Club; Dr. James A. Evans of the Rotary Club. Each of these committee members will have charge of programs during the week.

In explanation of National Music Week the following is quoted: "A stimulation of personal music-making by the individual, through mass concerts and other big events is to be a feature of the eighth annual National Music Week, on May 3-9. The keynote of the celebration will again be active participation in music in addition to merely listening to it."

"Each to Eighty." It is expected that the observance will emphasize not only music in the home, by members of the family and friends, but vocal and instrumental concerts and other demonstrations by merged groups in which the members of the various communities will rub shoulders with their neighbors as actual performers of music. In this way the Music Week is expected to develop the habit of musical participation such as will be continued in year-round musical activities.

Week in year the National Music observance the underlying motif was summed up thus: "Make Music Your Friend From Youth to Age," the objective being the continued participation of our people in music. "From Eight to Eighty." It is expected that the enduring benefits of that phase of the 1930 Music Week will be matched by the results of the coming celebration, with its fostering of the get-together spirit in music."

ROTARIANS PLAN FOR MEETING

Local Club Arranges For
Representation at District
Convention At Gulfport

The Bay St. Louis Rotary Club at its weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday devoted attention to planning for a large representation of the members at the convention of the 17th district which includes all of Louisiana and South Mississippi which is to meet in Gulfport, Monday and Tuesday, May 4 and 5. Arthur Scalfie, secretary, explained regarding the convention and urged everyone to attend the sessions.

Official delegates to the meeting will be: Chas. G. Moreau, publisher and editor of The Sea Coast Echo. Geo. R. Rea, a member of the program committee, presided at the Wednesday meeting in the absence of the city of president and vice-president.

Four visitors were present: L. H. Barksdale and Mr. L. L. Lazar, Pass Christian; J. O. Jones, Gulfport and C. Worrell, New Orleans.

PHONE TO BE USED FOR FIRE ONLY

The city commissioners of Bay St. Louis at the last meeting passed a resolution that the telephone at the fire station be used only for fire purposes. This resolution was passed to alleviate the use of the phone for conversations which might be in progress at the time that a fire call would go in over the phone and in the cause of efficiency from the department to the public the measure was deemed necessary. It was said.

C. OF C. MEETING

A meeting of the entire membership of the Bay St. Louis Chamber of Commerce will be held Tuesday night, May 5, 8 o'clock at the C. of C. rooms in the Masonic temple and every member is urged to be in attendance. Matters of importance are to be presented.

WAVELAND BALL TEAM TO MEET PASS PIRATES SUNDAY

Will Be First Game at Home
On New Field—Mayors
To Open Game.

Sunday May 3, will be gala day in Waveland, as the "Sentinels" swing into action against the Pass Christian Pirates in their opening home game. The locals have a new ball field located on the Clay property, Sears avenue. The management is preparing for an overflow crowd, and a great day. President Wilder, secretary, K. P. Kaiser of the Mississippi Coast League, and Paul Tibler, League statistician, will be present. Mayor Schwartz of Waveland will toss the first ball to Mayor Spence of the Pass.

The local team is expected to be in best condition for this contest as no one is on the injured list this week. "Bob" Condon speed ball artist is reported to be O. K. and is slated for mound duty against the Pirates. The lineup of the Sentinels remains the same with the exception of the signing of a pitcher "Cotton" Collier formerly with the Bay St. Louis Panthers.

The new field affords ample parking place for cars, so that the occupants may view the game easily.

EASTERN STAR HEAD VISITOR

Newly Elected Worthy
Grand Matron of Grand
Chapter O. E. S. Visited
Bay

Mrs. Oren C. (Ruth F.) Young of Clarksdale who was installed worthy grand matron of the grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of the State of Mississippi at the grand chapter meeting in Hattiesburg last week, accompanied by her husband, Mr. Young of Clarksdale, were guests from Thursday to Sunday of Mrs. E. J. Leonhard at her North Beach Boulevard home, Bay St. Louis. Mrs. Leonhard who was reappointed district deputy grand matron for another term, motored Mr. and Mrs. Young here.

While on the Coast Mrs. Young and Mrs. Leonhard were complimented by being named two of the honor guests at a reception given Friday night by the Past Matrons' Club of Grand Chapter No. 51, O. E. S. at the Gulfport Masonic Temple. At this reception Miss Betty Huber of Richmond Hill, New York, house-guest of Mrs. Leonhard and Mr. Young, were members of the reception line with the grand officers. Mrs. Young who is an accomplished reader, entertained with two numbers on the program at the reception.

PRaises Bay St. LOUIS AND ITS MANY OPPORTUNITIES

By JOHN T. MEYERS
(For The Sea Coast Echo)

When some folks go traveling to distant places they carry with them their ticket and luggage—that's all. On the other hand, there are certain types and personalities who seem to radiate the very breath and life of the place they know—as my home town.

When they mention or discuss the home town there is an unmistakable gleam of pride in the eye, and a tone of deep pride in the voice. The writer had the honor of meeting such a man recently. He is Chas. G. Moreau, of Bay St. Louis, publisher and editor of The Sea Coast Echo.

In the heart of this successful newspaperman from the Mississippi Gulf Coast, Bay St. Louis and its people are always with him. Meeting this refined gentleman for the first time one is charmed by his gentle and musical tone of voice. Mr. Moreau is widely read and traveled and can entertain so charmingly with experiences encountered thereby.

Mr. and Mrs. Moreau are enjoying a visit at the home of relatives in San Antonio. They have been enjoying the many colorful features and events connected with the Fiesta de San Jacinto celebration in this city.

After about an hour's talk with Mr. Moreau, the writer, was totally homesick for Mr. Moreau's Bay St. Louis. He presented the descriptions with such interest and sincerity that one could just see those tall stately pines, or again, the beautiful beach front with its musical lashing waves against the seawall. The hustling, bustling, Saturday night business activities of Bay St. Louis, too, seemed as close as the opposite wall of the room, as this gentleman talked of his home town.

W. B. A. Spaghetti Supper.

There will be a benefit spaghetti supper the night of May 6 at the Knights of Columbus Hall under the auspices of the Woman's Benefit Association. The proceeds to be devoted to the Chicago trip. The public is invited.

'RED' SIMMONS IS CAPTURED AFTER TWO YEARS AT LIBERTY

Man Under Indictment By Hancock County Grand Jury
For Murder Who Escaped From Jackson Authorities
Two Years Ago Is In Jail at Bay St. Louis.

TWO FROM BAY O. E. S. OFFICERS

Mrs. E. J. Leonhard Is Again
Named District Deputy
And Mrs. Fred Wright
Grand Esther.

Two from Bay St. Louis were honored last week by being named grand officers of the Order of the Eastern Star of the State of Mississippi grand chapter at the annual meeting of the grand chapter held in Hattiesburg. Mrs. E. J. Leonhard was again named district deputy grand matron, an office she filled with distinction last year. Mrs. Fred Wright was named grand Esther. Mrs. Leonhard was further honored at the grand chapter meeting by serving as grand marshal, an office which she had held at the session in Biloxi the year before, one of the few, if not the only, person to hold this office two consecutive years.

Three others from Bay St. Louis attended the meeting in Hattiesburg. Miss Betty Huber of Richmond Hill, New York, house guest of Mrs. Leonhard; Miss Miriam Engman, representing the Bay chapter, and Miss Irma Koch, who had the distinction to serve as one of the pages at the grand chapter.

The Misses Huber and Engman entertained at dinner Wednesday night at the Forest Hotel in Hattiesburg complimenting Mrs. Leonhard and other grand officers including in their guest list Mrs. Walter W. Wiggins, grand worthy matron; Mrs. Oren C. (Ruth F.) Young of Clarksdale, associate worthy grand matron, and her husband, Mr. Young of Clarksdale; Mrs. J. W. Rankin of Gulfport, associate grand conductress; and Miss Irma Koch of Bay St. Louis.

The Bay St. Louis party returned home Thursday following the meeting.

CHARMING FLOWER GARDEN AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. PITCHER

Flowers of Almost Every
Hue and Kind Greet Visitor
in Garden on North
Beach Boulevard.

A flower garden whose charm is one of those indefinable things which lingers after a happy visit there, is the beautiful and extensive garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pitcher on North Beach Boulevard. The home fronts the beach and the entrance is an introduction to the garden which extends hundreds of feet behind the house. The front garden is a lawn space surrounded by trees with a driveway leading to the garage. Colorful flower beds flourish beside the walk to the doorway and around the house, but the garden proper begins after one crosses through the gate way at the side of the house. In reality, the garden may be said to have three phases, the second being in the nature of an outdoor living room where all the ground is covered with a surface of oyster and muscle shell finely ground and creating a charming foundation setting for the giant live oaks and other shade trees which turn this section into a veritable joy land. About the base of each tree grows flower beds each surrounded with bases of large stone. Numerous flower pots filled with plants are elevated on stands further emphasizing the idea of a living room. Wooden furniture, gayly painted in yellow and black is disposed about the garden. A vine covered trellis with seats fronts the garage.

A distinct feature of this garden is the wonderful maiden's hair fern which grows to such profusion. Long sprays of this dainty fern fill to overflowing many holes devoted to its culture. Several of these boxes are elevated, yet others are placed near the ground. One box in particular measures over 10 feet in length and is covered many inches deep with the fern. Mrs. Pitcher has made a specialty of the growth of maiden's hair fern for several years. She transplants once a year placing small clumps of the fern in a place and this in turn spreads. She fertilizes regularly and keeps the ferns watered with water in which a solution of about a spoon of salts is placed in a gallon of water.

The third phase of this garden is the stretch reaching down to the flowing stream, and continuing an equal distance beyond the stream. A tall overflow pipe from a water well

A portion of the lingering charm of this lovely garden is the courteous and gracious hostess whose personalities are intermingled with the garden which is their delight.

"Red" Simmons, one of the three men under indictment by a Hancock county grand jury on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting Wednesday, April 3, 1929 of Philip Peterson of the Standard community, and who has been at large having escaped from Jackson authorities in whose keeping the three men had been placed, was arrested and returned to the Hancock county jail at Bay St. Louis Monday night. Sheriff J. C. Jones and Deputy Sheriff Lander Nease of Hancock county were assisted in making the arrest by Sheriff Waldrop of Columbia, Marion county.

It is recalled that three men, "Red" Simmons, Henry Windham and Horace Seals were implicated in the fatal shooting of Peterson, the shooting is said to have occurred over the price of some illicit liquor which Peterson was said to have sold to the three men. The men were placed in the Hancock county jail following their arrest at Bogalusa, April 4, 1929, and three days later were placed in the hands of Jackson authorities for safe keeping. It is recalled further that two of the men, Windham and Simmons, escaped from the Jackson authorities, and Windham is still at large. Seals was returned to Hancock county and stood trial in September 1929 and was acquitted.

It is understood that attorneys for Simmons are seeking to have him released from jail on a habeas corpus writ.

COMMUNITY BAND TO GIVE BENEFIT DANCE AT W. O. W.

There will be a dance at W. O. W. Hall sponsored by the Bay St. Louis Community Band, Saturday night May 9.

The purpose of this dance is to raise funds to buy musical instruments which are badly needed for the band.

Music for this dance will be furnished by Kid Saucier and his New Orleans Boys.

The community band is practicing hard and regularly and are making good progress. It is for a good cause and should receive the support of all. The public is cordially invited and this invitation is extended all of this community as well as those from immediate points and along the Coast in general. Admission will be Gents, 75c and ladies 25 cents.

Bay Panthers Play Biloxi Boosters Here Sunday, May 3rd.

The Bay Panthers' nine of the Mississippi Coast League meet the strong Biloxi Boosters at Stanislaus Stadium, here, Sunday May 3. With the Panthers' Star hurler, Egloff, on the injured list, Frank Thrifflay will be on the mound for the locals. The Panthers defeated the Waveland Sentinels last Sunday, and are in good condition, so be on hand Sunday and see a good game.

Demonstration Program.

The Rhythm Band of Taylor School Bay St. Louis, appeared in a demonstration program at the Picaney High School March 19. An audience of more than 300 were present to enjoy this program by the little folks whose excellent interpretation secured for them high praise. The supervisor of public school music for the state of Mississippi was present and congratulated the children and their director, Mrs. W. W. Stockstill, on the program.

1200 feet deep continually supplies the stream, in which is growing water lilies, wild iris and other plants suited to this location.

At the entrance to this back garden is found a rock garden in which a variety of plants are placed with ferns predominating. The rose beds are to either side of the stream and at this season the rose bushes, here growing to tree size, are gorgeous with their wealth of bloom. A great arbor is covered with roses. Last week fully 500 blossoms were open on the cloth of gold vine. Behind the trellis grow the dozen azalea plants which are in turn alternated with handsome hydrangea. Many shrubs find happy locations in this garden of many moods and a changing color chart follows the seasons. Vines of wisteria fill the trees, Cherokee rose, yellow jasmine, trailing roses and clematis convert the fences into a lengthy trellis. In this place of the garden the stretches beneath the many beautiful shade trees is also covered with shell. Stepping stones tinted in red extend the full length of the garden.

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JUDGE WHITE IS RIGHT.

Up to the first day of April, Governor Bilbo had issued 1541 pardons and suspensions to persons convicted in the State courts,—more than twice the number issued the previous four years—and he has yet about nine months to serve before his term expires. Now who says Judge White was wrong when he said it might be a good thing to suspend all attempts to enforce the criminal laws until the present chief executive retired from office?

WOULD BE VERY UNWISE.

Hon. Jouett Shouse, chairman of the Democratic national committee, in an address delivered at Providence, Rhode Island, a few days ago, stressed the importance of waging the next presidential campaign on economic issues and expressed the opinion that any attempt to make prohibition or any other single question a paramount issue would be very unwise. Every intelligent Democratic voter will agree with Mr. Shouse.

VOICES OPTIMISM

Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, said the other day that "management is the most important leg of the three legged stool of big business. The other two legs represent capital and labor." We hardly think anybody will take issue with him on that. But isn't "management" in little business, or any other undertaking, essential if it is to succeed?

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

The Spanish republic has been formally recognized by the United States government and diplomatic relations re-established. In the meantime Alfonso XIII is passing his time very quietly in Paris but keeping himself informed as to what is going on in his old country, vainly hoping it will not be long ere he is called back there to resume his old job.

REMAINS TO BE SEEN.

It remains to be seen if the electorate of our great State will listen to the clap-trap oratory and pie-crust promises of a lot of demagogues and elevate any of them to positions of honor and trust. The experience through which we have passed for four years should have taught Mississippians a lesson they will not forget.

GIVEN PRELIMINARY HEARING.

Jack Lott of Kiln and W. H. Lott of Picayune were each required to make bond in the sum of \$500 when given a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner Money at Biloxi last Saturday. They are charged with violation of the dry law.

SO FAR SO GOOD.

So far the re-count being made of votes cast in the Alabama's election last November, fail to show that any fraud was practiced in the balloting, which assures the right of Hon. John H. Bankhead to hold his seat in the United States senate.

Gasoline taxes in the United States increased from \$4,700,000 in 1921 to \$449,731,000 in 1929.

Great cityward trends in population have always been followed by back-to-the-land movements.—Country Home Magazine. It seems about-time for it to start.

"Daylight saving time" has been adopted throughout some portions of the country, and is welcomed by the admirers of "Amos 'n' Andy" as the two radio entertainers come on the air an hour earlier each night.

Hon. J. B. Gully of Winston county will oppose W. J. Miller, present State tax collector in his race for re-election. Several other candidates will announce for the same office as it is one of the juiciest State jobs to be filled.

With sixty-seven candidates already announced for county and beat offices—and still more yet to come—it looks as if Leake county will carry off the blue ribbon as to the number of aspirants for public office in the August primaries.

Not one of the half dozen candidates for governor have as yet made a speech in our county. We read in the papers where they are "orating" in nearly all the other counties. Maybe they don't want or don't need any of the votes to be cast in old Hancock next August.

"O YE HYPOCRITES"

It is reported that ever since the trout season opened, the President has been studying the weather and preparing for a good fishing day. The Administration has more on its hands than picking out a time when the fish will bite. "O ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky, but can ye not discern the signs of the times?"

COLONEL ROBERT EWING.

In the death of Colonel Robert Ewing at his home in New Orleans on Monday night, the newspaper fraternity lost one of its most colorful and forceful characters.

As editor and publisher of the New Orleans States and three other leading Louisiana daily papers, he wielded a powerful influence in that commonwealth and his passing on will be regretted not only in Louisiana but throughout the whole country.

Colonel Ewing was vice-president of the American Newspaper Association and also of the Associated Press, the world's greatest news-gathering organization. For many years he was Louisiana's member of the National Democratic executive committee, a position he held at the time of his death.

Though in failing health for several years past, the end came as a great shock to his family and friends.

OTHER INSTANCES COULD BE CITED.

D. E. McCuen, president of the American Cotton Shippers' Association, in his address at the annual association meeting in New Orleans last week predicted an advance of five cents per pound in the price of the staple within six months if and "after the government retires from the merchandising of cotton." Let the government continue and the farmer is doomed. Has any attempt by the government to enter business ever proven a success and a help to the people concerned? Look at what happened when hundreds of millions of bushels of wheat was taken off the market at a high price. Today wheat is selling for about half as much per bushel as when Uncle Sam bought it. Another striking example is called to mind when the old gentleman took over the railroads and tried to operate them. And there are other instances which could be cited.

NO TIME TO CALL EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

It would be a mistake for Democratic senators and representatives to favor an extra session of congress before the regular session opens in December. The millions of unemployed men and women throughout the country know that the policies pursued by the Republican administration is responsible for their being out of work, and all those engaged in agricultural pursuits know their condition is due to the broken promises made them by G. O. P. leaders in 1928. Such relief as might come to either the unemployed or to the agricultural industry of the country at this late day through an extra session of congress would not prove a salve to the hurt already suffered and for which the Republican administration is directly and alone responsible.

NO INCLINATION TO HELP.

Governor Bilbo's worst enemies will admit that his former administration was productive of more beneficial and constructive legislation for Mississippi than that of any chief executive since the Civil War. And, too, those same enemies were willing to and would have gladly helped in every way possible to make his present administration even more successful had he given them the opportunity to assist him. How miserably he has failed to measure up to what was expected of him, and what a golden opportunity he threw away to go down in history as a great governor and have his name linked with those of John M. Stone, Robert Lowry and other patriotic chief executives whose every thought was to serve the best interest of Mississippi, and her people.

HE SHOULD ADMIT IT.

We notice that some of our Simon-pure Democratic exchanges continue to print W. D. Jamieson's "Window Seat" letters sent out from Washington, not one of which does not contain attacks on Al Smith, Chairman Raskob and other prominent Democratic leaders. The Echo may be old fashioned in its ideas, but its loyalty to the Democratic party will never permit its columns to be used in giving publicity to Jamieson's attacks upon the recognized leaders of our party. Jamieson is a former Democratic congressman from the mid-West and we often wonder if he didn't vote for Hoover in 1928. If he did, he should quit longer posing as a Democrat and have the courage to say he is a Republican.

TO OFFER RESOLUTION.

Representative Wright Patman of Texas says he will offer a resolution on the first day of the next session of congress calling for the impeachment of Hon. Andrew S. Mellon, President Hoover's secretary of the treasury. In an interview the Texas congressman said: "If we get rid of Mellon we'll have a chance to restore prosperity," whom he pictured as "one of the worst enemies of the veterans of all wars in America." The grounds on which the Texan will base articles for the secretary's impeachment are that he is interested in trade and commerce and that he is part owner of a sea-going vessel, either of which is an impeachable offense.

BALANCE OF LIFE IN PENITENTIARY.

Fred Burke, murderer-gangster, and known as "the worst criminal in America," will spend the balance of his life in a penitentiary. He entered a plea of guilty when arraigned in court at St. Joseph, Michigan, the other day and his sentence followed promptly. Michigan does not enforce a death penalty for murder or any other crime, so Burke escaped the hangman's noose which he so richly deserved.

MAKE GOOD HAUL.

New York police detectives, customs officials and federal narcotic agents received a "hip" recently to be on the lookout for a shipment of contraband "dope." Last Saturday the liner "Milwaukee" arrived in port and when searched three tons of narcotics were seized. The shipment consisted of 51,000 ounces of morphine, 8,500 ounces of heroin and 8,500 ounces of opium and was valued at more than \$5,000,000.

VIEWS OF OUR NEWS

By Chicagoan

Chicago, Ill., April 28.—If his eyes were in good condition, and last week's Echo had been read by King Prajadhipok (there I spelled it, how help yourself to the pronunciation of the name of the Lord of all Siam), I wonder how his impressions would compare with mine.

At least it would not surprise the king to read he had been a student at Mississippi A. & M., but I confess it did surprise me a bit to learn of this enrollment in the Mississippi institution during the days of his "princelyhood," if that's what you call it. In the mass of stuff written about the visiting potentate, I had failed to see an account of his former sojourn until I read last week's Echo.

Well, I wonder if when the king thinks of the days when he was the Student Prince of Starkville, he knows anything of the conditions under which Mississippi's educational institutions are functioning today. And if he does, does he not envy the power of some other ruler who was not born a king, but who secured his position because of the trust reposed in him by a majority of the voters?

Be that as it may, a king may be born to high honors, but in a democracy, they are conferred only on those who have earned them. Membership in Rotary is one of the honors that can come to one whose conduct of his business or profession has been such that he stands out from other men. While our able editor is on a visit to San Antonio he read of the signal honor that has been accorded him. He has been called for the second time to head the Bay St. Louis chapter of Rotary. Alfonso, in London trying to cash a big check, reads of his discomfiture in Spain. Mr. Moreau, in San Antonio, will read a record of his accomplishments. I hope his modesty will not lead him to resent the liberties the boys in the office took when they published his picture and recited his exemplary civic record.

Now, a king, you know might read of the card party to be given at Hotel Weston on May 1, for the benefit of St. Margaret's Daughters, but if he knew the rules of the games to be played, he might shudder as he realized how many proud potentates would be forced into oblivion by crafty players possessed of powerful aces. Sadness there would be in the royal heart over such a prospect. I'm sure when kings play cards, they insist on games in which the king of trumps will take any trick.

Well, the eyes of some kings may be faulty, and some with perfect vision may tumble from their thrones. But young Wilson Mauffray of Kiln will tell you that it's not only kings who have their mishaps. Happily, according to last week's report, Wilson will recover from the effects of his painful accident, long before the passing of the difficulties that beset the paths of kings.

From Bay St. Louis and New Orleans to Atlanta, Georgia, will go Captain and Mrs. C. B. Fisher, according to a news item of last week. Had the captain and his wife lived in the olden days, and had they been possessed of modern means of rapid travel, they would have crossed the domains of many kings on such a trip. They would have passed through one country after another, in each of which the customs and the language would be different. Strange legends would have been told them regarding people in other lands. Much misunderstanding would have existed among the people concerning their respective aims and ambitions. But as Captain and Mrs. Fisher wind their way, they will hardly be aware of the miles they cover, for although the scenery will be changing, the people they meet will be fundamentally the same.

Road leading to Bay St. Louis are in good condition. I could tell that from the little news items which let me know that it was with ease and pleasure that Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arnold, Jr., Miss Hilda Wilson and Mr. Gerald Delcamp motored from Mobile to their vacation home at O. T. Arnold's. When knight-hood was in flower, the roads belonged to the king. Common people were required by "law" to beat it for the ditch when a royal cavalcade came down the highway. Strange legends would have been told them regarding the costs of building and maintaining highways should remember that the common people always paid for the roads, even in the days when the free use of them was denied.

"It's fishing time in Hancock County," sang an Echo bard last week, and then proceeded to tell the story of a mythical "Bill." Not so mythical as you might think, is that fellow Bill, and I have no doubt but what he is quite well known to the chap who penned those lines. You may be poor as the proverbial churchmouse. Your worldly goods may have vanished, and with them your only friend. You may even be a man who was once a Democrat, but who in a moment of forgetfulness so voted that you are known henceforth as a "Hoovercrat." But never mind! "Bill" can tell you of places where you can still be a king. Those places are on the banks of pleasant streams or on the surface of any placid body of water. As you wait for the wary fish to decide whether or not to accept the bait you offer them, there will be none to

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CURRENT COMMENT

For The Sea Coast Echo.

Deposed King Alfonso, of Spain, says that he does not renounce any of his rights, because they are the accumulated store of history, and because some day he will have to give a strict account of their preservation; which means that the old divine-right-of-kings bee is still buzzing in his bonnet. This is something that is hard for Americans to understand. If the late President Taft, for instance, had skipped to Canada, set up headquarters there, and waited to be recalled to the White House, people would have thought that he had lost the useful mind which made him of judicial service to the land for many succeeding years.

A movement is afoot to make public places pay for radio service. Radio is more widely cherished than that amusement of the hour has come to stay; yet what has become of the rage for talking machines and player pianos, to say nothing of the more remote popularity of tennis and croquet? Radio is at the crest, with its face toward the sunset. All that is needed to start its undoing is to deprive it of its character as a free entertainment. A newly invented toy will then do the rest.

Arbor Day soon will be kept in many states. It has the peculiarity of being a festival which is purely constructive. Its practical and obvious teaching is the reforesting of areas which have been denuded of their natural and necessary coverings. Considered from a less material viewpoint, whoever plants a tree, which bursts into leaf at each recurring spring-tide, has before him a symbol of Hope, without which life would be intolerable.

The reader's eye passes carelessly over the statement that a 73,000 ton ship is under construction in England. If that weight had to be lifted with bare hands, the task would call for nearly a million and a half men capable of carrying a hundred pounds each. The entire working population of the state of Washington could be given a job.

A rebellion is under way in Nicaragua, and our State Department has notified Americans in that country that they must withdraw from the interior to points where they can be looked after or removed. The United States is willing to keep a friendly supervisory eye on Central American affairs, and to protect its citizens wherever dispersed, but it is unreasonable to ask that protection be extended to Americans who wish to remain in the thick of the fight, in a foreign land, and carry on business with the same serenity that would prevail if they were operating at home, and in time of peace.

A New Jersey man has reached Manila, on a cruise around the world, all by himself. The venture is not new, but lack of novelty does not mean lack of courage. Perhaps twenty-five years ago, Captain Joshua Slocum accomplished alone, the circumnavigation of the globe, after a little trial trip to Spain and back had convinced him that his craft was seaworthy. The perils that await the single-handed boat are recalled by the fact that Captain Slocum tried "one more" voyage, from which he never returned.

The Department of Commerce reports "increased tension in international competition and a sharper spirit of economic nationalism"; which, stated in plain language, means that now that World War troubles are partly over, Europe finds that it is safe and profitable to be snippy.

The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that it is proper to question a prospective juror on the subject as to whether or not he has any prejudice against a prisoner on account of his race. This being now the law, it is not necessary to go into the reasoning which lay behind it. In a dissenting opinion, one of the Justices stated that the enforcement of our criminal laws is scandalously ineffective, and that there was no occasion for magnifying what in practice is not really important. That too is a statement which will bear thinking about.

The Unstable Sincere
"Well, Pat," said the squire, "and what are you doing for a living?"
"Nothin', sorr."
"Well, laughed his questioner, "I must say that's a pleasant job; no worries attached to it."
"Oh, sorr," responded Pat, "cep'in that I might lose it."—Evince.

Still Digging at Dugald
Mrs. Mac Pherson (just at meal time)—Dugald, we've guests at the door.
Dugald—Grab a toothpick, quick!—Mutual Magazine.

give you orders. And he not concerned about the size of the fish landed. The smaller ones taste best when they come from the pan. And what's the use of landing a big one? No one will believe your story anyhow.
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COURAGE OF HEROES OF ALAMO AND PLACE IN TEXAS HISTORY

Alamo and San Jacinto Fiesta at San Antonio are Described in Vivid Story of the Mimic Historic Revivals.

By JOHN T. MEYERS
(For The Sea Coast Echo)

Among the voluminous pages of Texas history there are chronicled many heroic deeds and events. None, however, have burned more deeply into the hearts and memory of Texas sons and daughters than the undaunted courage displayed by the courageous little band of heroes during the siege and fall of the Alamo.

This sacred shrine of Texas liberty stands today on Alamo Plaza in the very heart of San Antonio's downtown business district. Here, the name of Travis, Houston, Bowie, Crockett, and others, are mentioned in tones of reverence and love. The famous cry, "Remember the Alamo," seems even today to reverberate from the molding walls and courtyards about this sacred Texas shrine of freedom.

It was at the battle of San Jacinto that the defeat of the Alamo was avenged. From the blood-stained field of battle, the freedom of Texas from Mexican rule was born.

As an added tribute to keep the memory of her heroes alive through-out changing generations, a yearly Fiesta de San Jacinto week celebration is observed in San Antonio. This affair is staged with numerous events lasting over a period of one week. The city is gayly decorated for the occasion. Downtown streets are draped with flags and bunting. By night many colored lights add a glamorous touch to the scene. A holiday spirit prevails over the entire populace as this colorful pageant is enacted each year.

Thousands of visitors from every part of Texas and elsewhere attend the Fiesta taking advantage of low rates offered by railroads at this time.

Like the Mardi Gras celebration in New Orleans, Fiesta de San Jacinto is surrounded by a royal background. This year King Antonio XIII and his beautiful and youthful queen ruled over a loyal and devoted kingdom during the "king-for-a-week" reign.

Activities began with the arrival in San Antonio of his Majesty with an escort of Texas Cavaliers, mounted, and strikingly handsome in their bright red and blue uniforms. King Antonio XIII received the keys of the city. A ball and reception was on the royal program Monday night.

On Tuesday night King Antonio attended an elaborate Battle of Flowers fete at the auditorium. One thousand children, students of dancing schools in San Antonio, presented an unusually brilliant and impressive spectacle as a continuous presentation was unraveled by these talented youthful artists. The costumes and settings were of gorgeous blending of color and harmony that brought gasps of wonder and amazement from the packed audience.

On Wednesday afternoon, a trades parade was held on downtown streets. Many clever floats and cars were entered in this affair. On Thursday afternoon public and private schools of the city entered floats and decorated cars. Buses and individually decorated floats were the keynote of this event. The parade presented a perfect dangle of pulchritude and color, as the parade wound its way about the streets.

Friday afternoon marked the climactic event of the Fiesta de San Jacinto celebration with a gala Battle of Flowers parade. Preceded by threatening rain, the overhanging clouds finally dispersed, and brilliant, warm, Texas sunshine beamed down from a perfect blue sky.

Floats entered in the Battle of Flowers parade were sponsored by patriotic and historic societies, colleges and schools, military posts, art and dancing studios, and private individuals. In keeping with a Battle of Flowers motif, it seemed, real and artificial flowers were mostly in prominence in the decorative schemes of the floats. However, many unique and picturesque works of art were in evidence as this unusual presentation, accompanied by blaring bands, and a large military representation was unfolded to the admiring throngs that crowded the entire length of march.

Among the many attractive floats was a realistic reproduction of the Alamo, with flowers strewn about its base. Another float attracting much attention and comment was a depiction of Mission San Jose, with the famous "South Window" feature in true design. A Spanish type dwelling with occupants in typical Spanish costumes was very cleverly executed by the designer. A blooming Spanish dagger plant was skillfully reproduced with crepe paper on this float. Real cactus plants were growing from the walls and on the balcony.

Historic scenes were featured in different parts of the parade. Cowboys from a nearby ranch added a colorful touch of the plains. Governor Sterling, of Texas, high military and civil notables were in attendance.

As the procession rounded the wide and palm-lined Alamo Plaza, a cannon, mounted on a platform overlooking the sacred Alamo, fired rounds of flowers from its mouth. These flowers and rose petals fell upon the Alamo and on the heads of the throngs gathered nearby. Droning planes overhead paid tribute to the heroes of the Alamo. They, too, showered flowers from the sky while the parade was in progress.

Finally, the last float had passed the reviewing stand and another Fiesta de San Jacinto celebration had come to a spectacular and successful ending. San Antonians and Texans in general will put aside the holiday garments and settle down to everyday routine. But in their hearts they will remember the heroes who died there rather than surrender to an overwhelming foe.

150 TO FIND JOBS IN NEW INDUSTRY

Hattiesburg Cement Plant
Will Cost Million, Says
Mayor

Hattiesburg, Miss., April 25.—Announcement was made Saturday by Mayor W. S. F. Tatum, of virtual completion of arrangements for the entry of a million-dollar cement industry into Hattiesburg. The new plant will employ 150 or more men, according to the mayor's statement. The name of the company was not revealed.

The announcement follows one day after the formal statement, confirming completion of arrangements for bringing natural gas to Hattiesburg. The franchise was awarded the Public Service Corporation of Mississippi recently chartered and headed by Frank McGeehee of Fort Worth, Texas.

Construction of the new plant is expected to require about nine months. It will cover about 15 acres, the mayor said.

MARCH CHEVROLET OUTPUT REACHING HIGHER SCHEDULE

February production of the Chevrolet Motor Company was 67,318 cars and trucks, according to an announcement by W. S. Knudsen, president, made public at New Orleans, by W. E. Pharr, zone manager. While the total is 3448 under that of January when 70,766 were produced, daily output was higher in February, with its three fewer working days, than the previous month.

Final figures on Chevrolet's February production show an increase of 2678 over preliminary reports and indicate that schedules originally set for the month were followed.

2,000,000 Pupils Ride Busses Daily, United States Survey Reveals

Washington, April 25.—An army half as big as that which served the United States in the world war moves each day by motor bus in search of knowledge.

Busses large and small, 2,000,000 children go to and from school, some scattered homes in the country, others for comparatively short distances in and around the cities.

The recent death of several children in a bizzard-bound school bus in Colorado, turned the attention of the federal office of education to the part played by that means of transportation in American education.

It found practically every state ran busses last year. All told, 50,000 went the daily round, bringing their youthful charges to 17,000 schools. The cost was placed at about forty million dollars for 1930 alone.

Doctor of Letters to be Given Dorothy Dix

Atlanta, Ga., April 25.—Mrs. Elizabeth Gilmer of New Orleans, whom newspaper readers of the country know as Dorothy Dix, will be awarded the honorary degree of doctor of letters by Oglethorpe University here in May.

Mrs. Gilmer will share honors with Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, who will be given a doctor of laws degree.

Before entering the syndicate field Mrs. Gilmer was on the staffs of the New Orleans Times-Picayune and the New York Journal.

Mrs. Gilmer is well known on the Mississippi Gulf Coast, especially at Pass Christian where she has a summer home and spends a great deal of her vacation time.

LEGIONNAIRES' BONES FOUND.

Besancan, France, April 25.—Remains of a squad of Roman legionnaires who 1900 years ago helped Julius Caesar discover that "all Gaul is divided into three parts," were found in a quarry here but they crumbled to dust when archeologists tried to remove them.

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KITCHEN PROBLEMS SOLVED AT LOCAL COOKING-SCHOOL

This Mississippi Power Company has planned a cooking school and demonstration for the housewives of Bay St. Louis to be held at the Company's office at three o'clock on May 10th. To personally direct the school, they have secured the services of Margaret McEntire, nationally known Home Economist, who will be assisted by one of the trained Economists of the Power Company during the demonstration.

The cooking school will begin promptly at three o'clock in the afternoon. Valuable prizes will be awarded to several of the ladies in attendance. As they enter, each woman will be given a card, and as they register, these cards will be placed in a box for a later drawing, and the lucky ones will be given the prizes.

Valuable hints will be given during the school for all to copy. Receipts for the dishes Mrs. McEntire will prepare, and other tester ones will be given out. A light buffet luncheon of the foods prepared at the demonstration will be served to those who attend.

Mrs. McEntire will use a full automatic electric range for the demonstration. These ranges have received much favorable comment all over the country because of the fact that it cooks meals complete without any of the usual cooking problems. It commences the cooking operation and cuts itself off without attention it being unnecessary to taste and taste turn and test during the period of operation. These, and many other features will be explained in detail by the Home Economist in charge, and many advantages of this method demonstrated.

The demonstration as indicated above, will begin promptly at three o'clock, and adequate facilities have been provided to take care of the large number expected to attend. The local manager of the Power Company, Mr. J. H. Bailey, has stated that he expects a large percentage of our homemakers would take advantage of this rare opportunity to learn more about electric cookery.

Remarriage of Divorcees To Be Discussed

Washington, April 25.—Changes in the canon law of the Episcopal church which would remove all causes for divorce and yet would allow remarriage of divorced persons under certain circumstances will be proposed to the general convention meeting of the church in Denver, on September 16.

The suggested changes, drawn by a joint commission on divorce which has been studying the subject since 1928, were made public today by the Rev. Dr. D. Wallington Curran, executive secretary of the Diocese of Washington, who emphasized that they were only tentative.

Under them the bishop of the ecclesiastical court of the diocese or district where the petitioner lives may declare the marriage null for a number of reasons existing at the time of the marriage.

Among them are "lack of free consent," mental deficiency, or insanity, failure or either party to have reached the age of puberty and certain degrees of consanguinity.

Creation of the ecclesiastical court, with jurisdiction over marital causes is proposed in the suggested new canon. Where creation of such a court is not convenient, the bishop might appoint a representative to find the facts on a marital situation and report to him under the proposed changes.

Another alternative would permit any person divorced for any cause by a civil court to apply to his bishop, of ecclesiastical court, for permission to marry another person after the expiration of a year.

If, of course, should determine that "the purpose of Christian marriage" would be served by the union permission would be granted an Episcopal minister to perform the ceremony, but a special service would be necessary. The marriage would be in an Episcopal church nor would the form contained in the book of common prayer be used and discretion would be given ministers to refuse to perform marriages.

'Lost' Indians Of Louisiana To Be Sought

Washington, April 25.—Lost tribes, forgotten by the world, are being sought out by the Indian office. It wants to know how they remain, how they live and what they need.

For this task they have employed Roy Nash, social worker and globe-trotter, who next week is going to the marshes of Louisiana where, in the parishes of Terrebonne and Lafourche, southernmost of New Orleans, live some 1000 Houma Indians, part French, with some negro blood.

The children never go to school and, like their parents, talk only French. They make their living by trapping in sawgrass marshes as do the Floridian Seminoles.

COMMISSIONERS CONGRATULATE CITY OF BILOXI

Resolutions on Securing The
Government Hospital Are
Passed

Resolutions of congratulations were passed by the Bay St. Louis city commissioners at the last meeting complimenting the city of Biloxi, its commissioners and the Biloxi Chamber of Commerce on having secured the United States Veterans Hospital to be located there and copies of the resolutions were sent to those congratulated.

The resolutions stated in part: "Whereas the commissioners of the city of Biloxi, and the Biloxi Chamber of Commerce were successful and deserving in having the United States government's hospital located in their city, and whereas the location of this hospital in Biloxi will be a lasting benefit to the city of Biloxi and the entire Gulf Coast, and whereas we are glad of the continued progress of our sister Coast city, and we are proud of the accomplishment, therefore, be it resolved that we congratulate the city of Biloxi, its commissioners and the Chamber of Commerce."

Bilbo To Tell Why He Won't Call Assembly

Jackson, Miss., April 25.—Governor Bilbo will reveal "on the stump" his reasons for insisting that legislators sign a pledge favoring a short no-investigation legislative assembly before issuing a proclamation for an extra session to relieve a \$5,500,000 deficit in the State treasury.

This revelation was made in a letter to Speaker Thomas L. Bailey of the House and political foe of the governor. Acknowledging an invitation to attend an informal conference of legislators here Tuesday and which the governor expressed his "regret" at his inability to attend due to his absence from the city.

"You may tell the members of the legislature in your meeting that the only way to get a special session is for a substantial majority of both Houses to sign the pledges," wrote the governor.

"It is final," the letter said. "I shall reserve the right to discuss my reasons for requesting the pledge 'on the stump'—it is not necessary to go into this matter now," he wrote.

Topples Into Lake But Holds To Fish

Hammond, Ind., April 25.—This is a fish story based upon a tale by Hugo Volkman.

In landlocked pickered Friday, he sprained his ankle fell to the bottom of the boat, injured his scalp, wrenched his back and neck in arising, lost his false teeth, then toppled into the lake. When fellow fishermen pulled him out Hugo was hanging on to the fish.

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NORMA SHEARER IN "STRANGERS MAY KISS", A. & G. SUNDAY

Norma Shearer, the star the world is waiting for, exotically beautiful, she is the flower of fulfillment of the modern woman, seeking the best life offers, will be at the A. & G. Theater Sunday and Monday, May 3 and 4.

She comes to the screen more gorgeous than ever in a dramatic love story that is greater even than her unforgettable success "Let Us Be Gay" and "The Divorcee." A picture that you will want to come back to see again!

Nights of music and dance and the freedom she craved—but when the lights died out her heart was heavy with sadness for the boy she could not have.

Others in the cast are Robert Montgomery, Neil Hamilton, Marjorie Rameau and Irene Rich.

Last year Miss Shearer was presented with a statue by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for her performance in "The Divorcee," the best of the year. When this prize is voted again, a leading contender will be Norma Shearer in "Strangers May Kiss."

Harder To Marry, But Easier To Divorce Is Woman's League Plea

Washington, April 20.—Making marriage more difficult, divorce easier, was urged today by Prof. Albert J. Jacobs of Columbia University, before the general council of the National League of Women Voters.

Jacobs also said the right of a wife to maintain a domicile separate from that of her husband for the purpose of voting and holding office deserved serious consideration. He said common law marriages should be abolished in every state and legislation should be passed providing for advance notices of intention to marry.

He advocated an advancement in the minimum age for marriage and the adoption of eugenic marriage laws.

The entire session of the council today was devoted to the legal status of married women.

Mrs. William J. Carson of Philadelphia, chairman of the league's committee on legal status, said it was more important that future laws keep pace with women's economical and professional changes than that old discriminations be removed.

Dr. Sophonisba P. Breckinridge, a professor of the University of Chicago said marriage laws were fragmentary and sometimes unsatisfactory.

Army Will Take New York Photos From 20,000 Feet

New York, April 26.—The army is going to take Manhattan's picture by darkness and by daylight.

The daylight shots, with special light filters which it is hoped will penetrate the haze prevalent along the Eastern seacoast, are to be attempted at distances of 50 to 150 miles. Captain Albert W. Stevens will do the work at an altitude of 20,000 feet.

Night photography, utilizing 3,000,000 candle power flashlight bombs which are effective for only about one-fifth of a second, also will be made at long range. The picture-taking will be included in the Army Air Corps maneuvers, May 21-29.

A photographic laboratory on wings, believed to be the world's first, will be given its initial test over Chicago May 20. If weather permits, pictures will be made, developed and dropped to the ground.

Should Respect All Laws.

When we contemplate the lack of respect, the flagrant disregard and the disobedience, unshamed, practiced by some of our people toward law enforcement, we are brought to a realization of the fact that our people do not consider, seriously what law and law enforcement means to us. There are a few questions our people should ponder well in their daily thought. What would the condition be in this country if there were no laws to deter the activities of the criminal element? Would we like to take chances in life, the pursuit of happiness and the accumulation of property to sustain ourselves and families without the protection afforded by our laws and the provisions for enforcement? What other safeguards are we to rely upon for the protection of our loved ones during our absence other than our laws and the respect for our laws?—Colins Commercial.

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SCHOOL TAX SURVEY WILL START JULY 1

National Study of Outlay for
Education Is Ordered

Washington, April 25.—A four-year national survey of the school tax dollar will be launched on July 1, it was announced today by Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior. The survey, which will be known as the national survey of school finance, was authorized by the last Congress.

The announcement was made in connection with the appointment of Dr. Paul R. Mort of Teachers' college, Columbia university, as associate director of the survey in active charge of the study. William Johnson Cooper, United States commissioner of education, will be director.

Expenditures for public elementary, secondary and higher education in the United States now total \$2,450,000,000 annually. The national survey of school finance is expected to produce comparative information on sources and uses of these funds to satisfy the demand by state legislatures, school officials and school boards for authoritative data.

DASHING TENORS GIVING CROONERS NEW COMPETITION

High-Pitched Voice Rising
On Radio Horizon.

San Francisco, April 25.—Coloratura tenors will be the new stars of the radio firmament, if the observations of B. R. Quisenberry, Pacific coast director of artists for NBC, are correct.

Mammy singers and blues crooners are passing or changing their style as the vocalogue shifts he believes. "Styles in singers of popular songs change rapidly, now that network programs familiarize an entire continent with each new voice," Quisenberry says. "The direct antecedent of the crooner was the 'mammy singer.' Then crooning came to replace the mammy-them with love interest. Now the high-pitched tenor or voice, almost falsetto yet wholly legitimate in its tones, is rising on the radio horizon."

Ask Pop, He Knows
Young Hopewell—Pa, what do standing armies sit on when they are tired?
Father—The seat of war, my son.

Not A Nice Assistant.
Mistress—I must get a griller for the kitchen when I'm down town. You know what a griller is?
Green Girl (with recollections of the zoo)—Indeed I do. It's a long hairy monkey the size of a man, and if you want one of those in your kitchen I'm leaving at once.

Silenced
He (angrily)—Do you believe everything you fool tells you?
She (sweetly)—Oh, no darling, but sometimes you do sound so plausible.



WHEN you start at sudden noises, worry over trifles, can't bear the noise that children make, feel irritable and blue—ten to one it's your nerves.

Don't wait until your overwrought nerves have kept you awake half the night and paved the way for another miserable day. Take two teaspoonfuls of Dr. Miles' Nerve and enjoy the relief that follows. Take two more before you go to bed. Sleep—and wake up ready for the day's duties or pleasures.

Dr. Miles' Nerve is now made in two forms—Liquid and Effervescent Tablet. Both are the same therapeutically. Liquid or Effervescent Tablets at all drug stores. Price \$1.00



SPORTS AT STANISLAUS

BASEBALL LEAGUES—MAJOR LEAGUE

Gremillion deserves much credit from the league fans. He has talked his team to victory over the other three league teams. All three teams gave him a good fight but none could overcome the power of his attack. Captain Wilson had Captain Gremillion's team at his mercy last Saturday. The score was 10-2 until the seventh inning when Wilson blew up. Hit after hit came and Wilson sent Bob Lilley in to replace him but Lilley could not do anything to stop the hit and run game. The seventh inning ended with Gremillion leading by a count of 12-10.

Next inning Wilson scored one run but that wasn't sufficient to tie or win the game. The first of the ninth Gremillion did not score then Wilson threatened to score in the last half of the ninth with one on second and Lilley up. Roth out in left field had not caught a ball all evening so Bob slammed one out to him and a miracle happened. He caught it.

The first round ended last Saturday and the result is as follows:

Won	Lost	Pct.	
Gremillion	3	0	1.000
Lacour	2	1	.667
Wilson	1	2	.333
Vallou	0	3	.000

The leading hitters of the first round are as follows:

Wilson	750
Delcarpio	571
Ed. Blaize	571
Bob Lilley	555
Ladner	500
Cochow	429
Bancroft	429
Lacour	400
Maurigi	363
Robichau	330

The standing for the minor league is as follows:

Won	Lost	Pct.	
Umbach	2	1	.667
Lang	2	1	.667
Vickair	1	2	.333
Hynes	1	2	.333

Captain Umbach and Captain Lang being tied for first place will have a special game scheduled during the week to battle for first place honors. Lang has a good chance to take the cake if he would only let someone else pitch, although his team has won two and lost one but this is due to the fact that his team mates are very active on the field and very few have scored on them.

JUNIOR LEAGUE "A" NOTES.

Last week games opened with Marcel Sandoz's Athletics losing by one run to Percy Stakelum's Pirates. The score was 11-10. Things looked pretty good for the Athletics in the first inning as they garnered 6 runs to the Pirates none. It was necessary to play an extra inning as the score was tie at 9 all after they agreed upon five innings were played.

AB	H	R	
Athletics (10)	5	3	4
Becker	2	0	1
M. Sandoz	2	0	0
Heath	4	2	3
Perre	5	2	2
Favola	3	0	0
Gulotta	3	2	1
Fagan	3	0	0
Matranga	1	0	0
Nix	0	0	0
Pirates (11)	5	3	4
Skets	2	0	1
Hunt	2	0	0
Pepperdene	2	0	0
Veloz	4	0	0
Stakelum	2	0	1
V. Dervot	3	1	0
Pison	2	0	0
Veloch	3	0	2
Reinhard	3	2	3
Athletics	6	0	2
Pirates	0	0	1

Thursday morning T. Sandoz's Cubs won over P. Stakelum's Pirates by a 15-6 score. Buras had a wonderful day with 10 strike outs that he was the cause of. He allowed but 3 hits. Veloz pitching for the Pirates did not do so well as the Cubs came through with 11 hits.

AB	H	R	
Cubs (15)	10	5	15
Kester	0	0	0
Moss	2	1	2
Gerchow	1	0	0
Lawless	4	3	3
Buras	3	0	2
Cunningham	4	1	2
T. Sandoz	4	1	3
Galle	4	0	0
Garcia	4	4	1
Pirates (6)	4	1	6
Skets	3	0	0

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COMMENT ON SPORTS

BASEBALL LEAGUES—MAJOR LEAGUE

BABE RUTH A STAR.
CHUCK KLEIN'S CHANCE.
THE STRIBLING "PA".
BASEBALL'S UPSET.

Most fans will regret the injury to Babe Ruth which keeps this vastly popular star from playing for some time. Those who are new comers to the field of baseball think of the great Babe as a slugger, and do not realize that he began his spectacular work as a pitcher with the Boston Red Sox. He was a left-handed hurler and a star performer. As a portside flinger he ran up the highest average in the history of the game. Later he became an outfielder because of his smashing home runs and now, seventeen years after his debut in the big league, needs just a score of circuit clouts to reach the six hundred mark. It will be a long time before anybody takes his record from the big Bambino.

Young Chuck Klein, of the Phillies, who opened the season this year with two homers in the first game, readily admits the lack of spring training this season is making it difficult for him. You remember, Klein had a long argument about salary before coming into the fold. His record in two and one-half years shows a batting average of .369 which is better than the similar record of Cobb, Ruth, Wagner or Hornsby. Last year he set a run scoring record with 158 and broke the record with 107 long hits. He also made a record for outfield assists. This year, regardless of his condition, he got off to a good start and there is no telling what he will do if he is able to avoid injuries and stay in the game for fifteen years or more. By the end of that time he may have most of the records.

Now that everything is fixed for the Stribling-Schmeling fight one hears that Pa Stribling, parent and manager of Young Stribling, is planning to charge no admission to the training camp of his son. Pa argues that he will be able to train his boy according to his judgment if he does not have to consider spectators who have paid to see him work. We think he has the right dope but not many old time managers will agree with him. Young Stribling ought to be in fairly good condition and is generally expected to win his fight against the German in July.

Baseball is a game in which the dope is hardly printed before something upsets it. For example, consider the sad start of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who were generally picked to run second in the National League. They ran into the Boston Braves, who were not counted on much, and as a result the Dodgers managed to get one victory out of eight starts. Meanwhile the Braves, playing against the Dodgers and Giants took seven out of nine initial games. We are not optimistic enough to predict that Boston will continue the pace, nor pessimistic enough to believe that the Dodgers will stay around the bottom long but it goes to show that nobody can tell what will happen in baseball competition.

PINEVILLE BASEBALL TEAM WINS SUNDAY

The Pineville nine defeated the Pass Christian team last Sunday, by the score of 21 to 3. The batteries for Pineville were, G. Maurigi, catcher, M. Maurigi pitcher, Forney, Fournier, catcher, McDonald pitcher.

Any team wishing a game with Pineville can secure same by writing Manuel Maurigi of Bay St. Louis, 158 Main street or Roy Cunningham, Pineville.

Pineville will play Long Beach this Sunday, May 3, at Long Beach.

The third and last game of the week played between M. Sandoz's Athletics and W. Appa's Cardinals. The Cardinals emerged victoriously by the score of 12-5. John Heath catching for the losers was the star player of the game. He just put everything he had in the game in spite of the fact that his team was losing.

Athletics	AB	H	R
Nik	2	0	0
Becker	2	0	0
Pavalora	3	0	1
Sandoz	3	1	2
Heath	1	0	2
Perre	2	1	0
Gulotta	2	0	0
Matranga	2	1	0
Fagan	2	1	0
Cardinals	AB	H	R
Duffillo	3	1	0
App	2	2	0
Spence	3	1	1
Lawless	4	2	1
Brown	3	0	1
Harper	2	1	1
Giamellone	3	2	2
Abrams	2	0	0
Reinhard	3	0	0
Athletics	0	10	2
Cardinals	4	2	5

Five leading batters

PANTHERS DEFEAT WAVELAND SENTINELS SUNDAY SCORE 5-4

Good Pitching, Fielding and Head Work Makes Game An Interesting One

Bay St. Louis capped its sister city by one run when Manager C. Y. Blaize let one of Telhiard's floaters hit him to become a baserunner, then advanced to second on Duke Iversen's sacrifice and to third on a passed ball, scoring on a grounder to shortstop, giving Bay St. Louis a 5 and 4 decision over Waveland.

The Sentinels' Telhiard, who last Sunday held Ocean Springs to 2 to 1, Sunday held the visiting team to only six hits but issued eight free tickets to first base.

Probably the most important achievement of the game to Bay St. Louis was the uncovering of a capable hurler in Jimmy Collier, a portside, who replaced Telhiard in the fourth. Effort during the Panthers' half of the third, slid into home plate wrenching an ankle and had to retire from the contest. Collier allowed Waveland but five scattered hits and the Sentinels were unable to score a run until his last out.

Waveland started the scoring in the second with three runs on five hits including Manuel Haas' double into centerfield and three errors, one at home plate allowing a runner to come in safely. Another Waveland run was made by the fourth on a triple and a single.

The Panthers scored in the second on two singles and a passed ball and counted another in the third by an error, sacrifice and a base hit. Three successive singles filling the bases and a base on balls scored Bay St. Louis third in the fourth while two base on balls, an error and a hit batsman accounted for the fourth the next inning.

On two occasions Bay St. Louis left three men stranded on the bases when Telhiard would come through with fine moundwork. In the fifth after Bay had counted on run and the bases were full the Waveland hurler retired the side with three strikeouts.

Box score:	W	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Waveland	5	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Lott, 3b	5	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
P. Bourgeois, 2b	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
H. Bourgeois, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
T. Bourgeois, ss	5	1	3	2	1	1	0	0	0
Haas, 1b	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
S. Bourgeois, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Bourgeois, lf	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Fayard, c	4	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
Telhiard, p	4	0	1	0	4	1	0	0	0
Total	40	4	14	25	9	2			

Bay St. Louis	W	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Ruger, rf-cf	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
L. Bontemps, ss	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ladner, lf-rf	3	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0
Blaize, c-1b	3	2	1	5	1	2	0	0	0
Coolley, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Iversen, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
E. Blaize, 2b	3	0	1	5	4	1	0	0	0
J. Bontemps, cf-lf	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Leouneau, ss	3	0	0	2	4	1	0	0	0
Elgoff, p	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J. Collier, p	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Total	30	5	6	27	14	6			

Score by innings:
Waveland.....031 000 00-4
Bay St. Louis.....011 110 001-5

Newspapers Best Medium.

As the result of a study based on the advertising methods of 376 retail dry goods stores in seven states, the United Department of Commerce has issued a statement showing that the best returns in the use of direct-mail, circular and hand bill advertising, and newspaper advertising proved that newspaper advertising brought the biggest returns in business to the merchants.

The government investigated and shows that advertising pays when it is done sensibly, and that the most sensible way to do it is by using local newspaper space.

That here you GET "The Service that others promise" and in the end get your printing cheaper. If all the orders for printing that are given printing peddlers in Bay-Waveland were placed with the home-owned plant, there would be several more people in our city with money to buy groceries, shoes, clothing and other necessities.

The Sea Coast Echo
ECHO BLDG.
Telephone 3-J Bay St. Louis, Miss.
Patronize Home Industry.

EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

COW, SOW AND HEN

(Clarksdale Register)
Mississippi has a gasoline filling station for every 134 inhabitants. And it has about 100 automobile owners to every station who are hanging on by the skin of their teeth these days. Automobiles are not a luxury they are a necessity. They must temporarily forgetful of a flabby purse when he breaks the speed limits along the white roads of the delta.

But how much better it would be for automobile manufacturers, car owners and people generally if every man, woman, child and child would run into the filling station daily and tells the delighted gasoline agent to "fill 'er up" would also add a cow, a sow and a hen!

If that were the penchant there would be fewer gasoline filling stations going out of business, more manufacturers of automobiles and more people riding the happy highways.

We are in a vicious circle, and it is advisable that we stop the whirling to see whether we are drifting. It is needful for the South to turn its attention to the things that have already paid for themselves. Our whole bent is on boosting the price of cotton. It may be that we are working along negative lines. We might undertake with greater advantage to ourselves an endeavor that is more positive.

A feeling not quickly arrived at is that there must be a revolution in farming methods ere the South comes back. Those individuals who have vision and follow it up by replacing cotton with cows, hogs and hens, will not ere the battle is won be impoverished.

We need filling stations and the man out of gas on a lonely country road thanks his Maker that some poor individual, losing money at farming, determined to undertake a sideline. The more filling stations per capita the merrier. We need them. But we also need milk stations.



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They're pre-shrunk!

CHRISTIANITY ON DEFENSE SAYS GEN. JOHN J. PERSHING

Washington, April 18.—General Pershing believes Christianity is on the defensive and he has called upon fellow churchmen to join him in standing the onslaughts.

"The strength of the obligation of citizenship is dependent upon the teaching of Christianity," General Pershing said. "That is the bulwark of our whole governmental structure."

Drawing upon his World War experience, the general told of seeing upon the walls of the Verdun citadel the famous phrase: "They shall Not Pass."

"Christianity is on the defensive," he said. "I fear that we are unprepared at present to withstand the onslaughts that are being made against it. We must unite in our efforts to strengthen our faith without delay."

The attacks are increasingly dangerous and we must unite in our efforts and we must push up our armor and defend ourselves with all our might. If we stand firm, it is certain that "They Shall Not Pass."

When the attacks are repulsed, it will be our turn to assume the offensive and carry the teachings of Christianity into the enemy's territory.

It Seems Conceded.

There has been a saying abroad in Mississippi for some forty years that the editor of an honest, fearless newspaper, even if it only has a shirt-tail full of type, can run any swash-buckling politician off an epithet. Some people have gotten into their heads that newspapers make and unmake officials from president down. In other words, it seems to be conceded that an editor who wants nothing, fears nothing, except the fear that restrains an honest man from doing wrong.—From Edgar S. Wilson's Mirrors of Mississippi.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

I, Leo W. Seal, Trustee, under the provisions of and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in a deed of trust made by Jack and Cecy Melton, to Leo W. Seal as Trustee, on 9th day of July, 1929, to secure a certain indebtedness due the Hancock County Bank, and which deed of trust is recorded in Vol. B-8, pages 262-264 Deed Records Hancock County, Mississippi, and which note so given in the above trust deed, was assigned by the Hancock County Bank to Joseph F. Livings, who is the present holder, said note, and securities, and at the instance of said holder, who has directed me to sell said land to pay for the loan;

I will on
MONDAY, MAY 4TH, 1931,
offer for sale and will sell at public auction, for cash to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bay St. Louis, during legal hours, the following described property, situated in the County of Hancock and more particularly described as follows:
N½ of NE¼ of NE¼, Section 11, Township 6, South, Range 14 West. This 23rd day of March, 1931.
LEO W. SEAL, Trustee.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

I, Leo W. Seal, Trustee, under the provisions of and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in a deed of trust made by Frank Niolet and Alline Dedeau Niolet, to Leo W. Seal, Trustee on the 7th day of March, 1929, to secure a certain indebtedness to the Hancock County Bank, and which said deed of trust is recorded in Book 24, page 256 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi. I will on the

4TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1931.

being the first Monday in said month, offer for sale, and will sell at public auction, for cash to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bay St. Louis, during legal hours, the following described property situated in the County of Hancock, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirteen, Township Six, South of Range Fourteen (14) West. This the 31 day of March, A. D. 1931.
LEO W. SEAL, Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of a decree rendered on the 2nd day of April, 1931, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi in cause No. 3133 on the docket of said court, wherein Garfield Ladner, et al, are complainants and W. McDonald, et al are defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioner will on

MONDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF MAY, 1931,
the same being the first Monday in said month, within legal hours, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House of said County, the land situated in the said County of Hancock and described as follows, to-wit:
Lot No. 92 of the Second Ward of the Town of Waveland, in Hancock County, Mississippi, according to the official plat of said town made by E. S. Drake and filed in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County, on July 2, 1906.

This sale will be made in accordance with the terms of said decree and for the purpose of paying the sum due said defendants for taxes paid upon said land.

Given under my hand, this 9th day of April, A. D. 1931.
A. G. FAVRE, Special Commissioner.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas S. H. Stratten executed a deed of trust dated July 20, 1927, recorded in Book 37, pages 269-271, among the records of mortgages and deeds of trust on land in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi, conveying to Leo W. Seal, Trustee, for the purpose of securing an indebtedness owing by the said S. H. Stratten to W. B. Monroe of Gulfport, Mississippi, lands in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, and described as follows:

SW¼ of SW¼; NE¼ of SE¼, Section 7 Township 6, Range 14, 83 Acres.

S½ of SW¼; SW¼ of SE¼, Section 9, Township 6, Range 14, 120 Acres.

SE¼ of SW¼; SE¼ of SE¼, except 4 acres sold to Dayse Cuevas, being recorded in Vol. C-5, pages 393-4 Deed Records of Hancock County, Miss., Section 10, Township 6 Range 14, 78 Acres.

SW¼ of NE¼; SE¼ of NW¼, NE¼ of SW¼; SW¼ of SW¼; NW¼ of SE¼; W¼ of SE¼, Section 11, Township 6, Range 14, 249 Acres.

NE¼ of SW¼; SE¼ of SW¼, Section 13, Township 6, Range 14, 80 Acres.

S½ of NE¼; NW¼ of NW¼, NE¼ of SE¼; SW¼ of SE¼; Less 2.2 Acres as per deed recorded Vol. C-5, pages 344-5 Deed Records of Hancock County, Section 14, Township 6, Range 14, 201 Acres.

NE¼ of NE¼; SE¼ of NW¼, Section 15, Township 6, Range 14, 80 Acres.

SE¼ of SW¼; S½ of SE¼; NE¼ of SE¼, Section 19, Township 6, Range 14, 121 Acres.

NW¼ of NW¼; E½ of SE¼, Section 18, Township 6, Range 14, 122 Acres.

NE¼ of NW¼, Section 20, Township 6, Range 14, 40 Acres.

SE¼ of NE¼; Section 21, Township 6, Range 14, 40 Acres.

NW¼ of NE¼; NE¼ of SW¼; SE¼ of NE¼ of SE¼ less 2.2 acres sold I. H. Riggs, deed Book C-2, pages 284-5 Hancock County Deed Records, Section 24, Township 6, Range

PERSONAL AND GENERAL NOTES OF WEEK FROM WAVELAND AND VICINITY

V. E. WEBER Box 134
Waveland, Miss.

The Waveland Ball Park, on Seals avenue is now being put in shape for opening game Sunday, May 3, between Pass Christian and Waveland teams.

Mayor Ed Schwartz will pitch the first ball.

A large crowd will be at the park to welcome the visiting club.

The St. Claire Altar Society will give a benefit dance, Saturday May 2nd in the old School House, Coleman avenue.

Mr. A. Holsback of New Orleans is now cleaning ground on lot recently purchased in Terrace avenue and will start shortly to build a summer home.

Terrace avenue is building up very rapidly, several pretty homes were erected during the past few months.

Mr. H. Holdrich of New Orleans will build a home in Coleman avenue. Mr. John Eckler, contractor.

Quite a number of people were over during the week, anxious to rent houses for the coming summer. Would advise those who have property to rent, to advertise in the Echo.

Dr. and Mrs. Herrman will leave Friday May 1, for Atlantic City, N. J., where Dr. Herrman will attend the meeting of the Association of American Physicians.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kokomo and Mr. Joe Smith spent the week end at their home in Stars avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schriber and Miss Carrie Haller spent a few days at their beach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haller of New Orleans were welcome visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Schriber.

Mrs. Joseph Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Constantine and children spent the week end visiting friends here.

Mr. Louis Buttman of New Orleans was a Sunday visitor to our town.

Mrs. R. E. Blanchard and son, R. E. Jr., and Miss Tillie Myers spent a few days at their beach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peters will be over on May 1st, to remain for the summer in their pretty beach home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilean Huger with their daughter, Jean and son Kilean, Jr., will be here May 1st to spend the summer in their attractive home.

Mrs. C. Fairchild and charming daughter, Christine will leave Boston, Mass., shortly for this section where they will spend the summer at their home on the beach.

Mr. C. B. Mollere and Mr. Stanley Bailey motored to New Orleans to attend the I. G. A. banquets, given at the Jung Hotel and at the home of Mr. H. T. Cottam.

Capt. Theo Ray and his charming daughters were usual week-end visitors.

Mr. C. F. Sauer and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown were over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson wish to announce the birth of their baby daughter, Joyus Ann. The Echo wishes the new comer plenty of joy through life.

Mrs. A. G. Hubbs and Mrs. Johnson of New Orleans spent the week end at Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Necaise.

Mrs. Maitrejean and family spent the week end here.

Sunday May 3rd will be a gala day in Waveland as the home ball team swings into action in their first home game. They will meet the Pirates of Pass Christian. The management is preparing for an overflow crowd, and a great day. President Wilder, Secretary K. P. Kaiser of the Mississippi Coast League will be present. Mayor Ed Schwartz of Waveland will toss the first ball over the plate to Mayor Spence of the Pass.

The Waveland Sentinels will have a new field located on Sears avenue on the plot known as the Clay Place. Mr. Cus has his men working on the grounds, and the diamond is expected to be in splendid condition for play Sunday.

B. L. Knost Elected Head of Plumbers

B. L. Knost of Pass Christian was today elected president of the Louisiana-Mississippi Association of Heating and Plumbing Dealers in annual session at Jackson on Saturday of last week. Mr. Knost is connected with the firm of Alton B. Hayden and Company of Pass Christian.

Other officers elected were:

L. C. De Leon, New Orleans, vice-president; Louis J. Dietrie, New Orleans, secretary-treasurer; and E. L. Kimble, New Orleans, assistant secretary.

Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not get rid of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Caldia. Once or twice a week for several weeks, and see how Nature rewards you with health, vigor, and energy. Caldia purifies the blood, acts on the stomach, cleanses the bowels, and builds up the system. It is a natural, safe, and effective remedy for all ailments. (A2)

Brief; Very Brief.

Gifford tells Associated Press meeting prosperity is returning.

2,000 miles to be added to air mail lines in July.

Farm board decides to sell its wheat abroad.

Curtis, before D. A. R., urges deporting alien criminals.

Britain matches American policy in Nicaragua.

World tension on tariff rising, says commerce department.

Dr. Klein sees no reason for fear of loss in export trade.

High wages laid to mass output by world chamber group.

Decline in retail food prices becomes less abrupt.

Soviet to pay all on capitalist basis under new system.

Federal job bureaus to be set up in all States.

Immigration cut about 90 percent in March.

Spain to seek accord with Holy See to disestablish Church.

Business entering period of seasonal dullness.

Railroads see only hope in cut in wages of taxes.

Stimson Norris charges power trust uses millions to sway public.

War expenses lead in treasury outlay in nine months.

Green warns newspaper editors of loss of labor.

Britain plans economic pact to fight customs union.

Ford says drastic wage cuts would follow prohibition repeal.

Red Cross to seek membership of 7,000,000 persons.

73,000-ton Cunarder will be world's fastest liner.

Arnold Bennett leaves \$500,000, greatest literary fortune.

Simplicity prevails at summer fashion show.

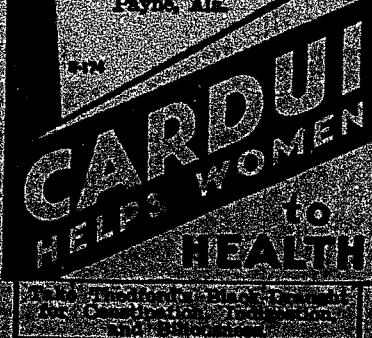
Hines, before Red Cross, warns of rising outlay for veterans.

Good Money Made On Growing Pecans

There is money in pecans. Mrs. George C. Price of Gulfport, stenographer for J. L. Taylor has a 20-year-old Stuart pecan tree in her back yard. The tree produced in 1930 about 150 pounds of pecans. About 19 pounds were kept for home use and 131 pounds were sold through the South Central Pecan Growers' Association, for which Mrs. Price received \$14.41. It is customary to plant 12 pecan trees to an acre of land. Twelve pecan trees, with a yield of the same amount of nuts, would net the owner around \$500 an acre. This beats cotton, corn and many other crops.

Restless, could not sleep

"THERE were days when I felt like I could not get my work done. I would get so nervous and tremble I would have to lie down. I was very restless, and could not sleep at night. My mother advised me to take Cardui, and I certainly am glad she did. It is the first thing that seemed to give me any strength. I felt better after the first bottle. I kept it up and am now feeling fine."—Mrs. A. B. Gibson, York, Pa.



LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

MORE TURMOIL ON THE COAST THAN WE HAD REALIZED

THE Editor of the New Orleans Item:—I read with considerable interest your editorial last Thursday in reference to excitement on the Gulf Coast caused by rumors of the arrest of prominent hotel men, bankers, and what not. Of course your editorials in my opinion are usually to the point. It is needless to say that every one concedes they are masterpieces of English. But this particular one is so to the point that I can't help letting you know how well it was received.

This little town has been thrown into an uproar a great deal more than you know. After the statements came out as they did, you can readily understand how the irresponsible, the scoundrel, had a sweet morsel for discussion. Rumors flew thick and fast. I have heard the name of nearly every one in town of any prominence or repute mentioned as being a guilty party.

I know lifelong friends who have been made enemies by rumors each has heard of the other. They have severed ties of friendship that will never be mended. I have had seven offers of damage suits for slander, with sufficient facts of the slander that could be sustained, which would ruin just a few of the men who have money left in this county. The persons who have offered me the suits are infuriated. They have been accused of being in the booze business without any more ground for accusing them than they would have to accuse you. They don't want the money, they want satisfaction. I have not taken any of the suits yet because I know it is not the best interest of this little community. However, I have promised most of them that unless those who talked about them made apologies in the newspapers for what they said that I would file the suits.

The result of either course I take is not going to be conducive to good feeling in the community. If suits are filed, lifelong friends will become enemies forever. If they are not filed the man who makes an apology, in my opinion, will bear ill-will forever to the one whom he has apologized to, and the one who accepts the apology will dislike him who has had to make it.

Of course I know there is no way to stop such things. However, noting how much you have realized the evil that has followed these rumors I can't help but feel that I ought to let you know what I and a lot of others concur with every word of your article.

If any one here is guilty of violating the prohibition law they should be indicted and given an opportunity to defend themselves. Then, if they are guilty, of course they should be convicted and put in jail. I have sympathy with law and order generally. But of course if they are innocent they should be vindicated. However that number is bound to be exceedingly small, if any exists here, but the many who have been accused against whom insinuations have been cast, will at least be able to begin patching up hurts and infuriated feelings.

With every assurance of good wishes.

WALTER J. GEX.
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Editor's Note: The above article appeared recently in the New Orleans Item, and was reproduced by request.

Bering Sea Cuts Life Of Earth in Half Through Tidal Friction, Expert Says

Washington, April 25.—The life of the world is being cut in half by the Bering Sea, between Alaska and Siberia. Such is the implication of calculations presented by W. D. Lambert of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, in a bulletin just issued.

The rotation of the earth on its axis is slowing down, the report points out. Approximately 9,000,000 years hence the globe will make a complete revolution only once a month and the month itself will be much longer. This condition will be brought about, Mr. Lambert explains, by the accumulating effects of friction by the tides. Water, dragged by the pull of the moon, is in friction with the sea and river bottoms. A small part of the tidal friction is transformed into heat by this friction, just as is the result when two sticks are rubbed together.

Now the energy transformed into heat by this tidal friction, Mr. Lambert says, is part of the rotational energy of the earth. This energy is being turned into heat and wasted by the tidal friction. It is estimated, at the rate of approximately 50,000,000,000,000 foot pounds a second. This is extremely small compared to the enormous amount of energy represented by the swift rotation of the earth, but given enough time it will prove fatal. And about two-thirds of the whole wastage of energy is due to the peculiar formation and position of Bering sea.

In the great oceans, Mr. Lambert explains, the tidal friction is very small. It becomes significant only in the large, shallow seas opening into oceans, where the great bulk of the tide originates in the open ocean and drags along the whole bottom. Bering sea, approximately 1,500,000 square miles, approaches nearest the tidal body of water. The energy loss are very uncertain, Mr. Lambert points out, but according to them, their face value the rotation of the earth is being slowed down about a second every 100,000 years. Given time enough, the tidal friction is dragging the same face toward the moon and earth and moon together, will compress their annual journey around the sun like two ends of a candle.

STANISLAUS COLLEGE ECHOES

A COMEDY.

"The Toastmaster" a roaring comedy was presented Sunday last by the Students of St. Stanislaus College under the direction of Brother Edmund.

Quite a crowd enjoyed it immensely.

Especially happy were the parts taken by Cecil Laperonne who made a big bill for some one else to pay. Rene Robichaux, "The Toastmaster" who needed a towel wrapped around his head in order to be able to think.

James Major a friend of Cecil who succeeded in kidnapping Professor Reed's small son.

John Hickman, Professor Reed's oldest son, who captured "The Toastmaster" with his powerful friend, Gene Lyons, who used all his brutal force on the poor "Toastmaster."

Dominic Genard who would have appreciated a break from Bob Smythe.

Paul Labry, the Professor, who always wanted to say something.

Toddy Pusner, the wife of the professor, never had a word to say, because he was not able, but he made up on pencil and paper.

Bob Smythe the professor's daughter who would have given all the girls a run for their money, and would have fooled all the boys if he would have kept it a secret.

Henry Toledo, the professor's small son, small in body but large in mouth.

SODALITY NOTES.

Last Saturday's meeting had for a chairman none other than Richard Doggett. For a change he decided to preside over a meeting.

Secretary B. J. Lacour read the minutes of the Sodality Union get-together to find out what it's all about meeting that was held last Sunday in the new Science room.

Brother Edmund then answered some very important questions that were asked by some of the members. These questions are of very good use to those belonging to the Sodality.

President Richard Doggett again announced that the receipts for the Holy Childhood were slow coming in and advised the members to hustle as the end of the session is only 36 days off.

Doggett also announced that there is going to be a May-Day Celebration at Bay St. Louis May 17, by the Sodality Union of the Gulf Coast.

There was a vote for the election of the boy who is to be the candidate as the King of the May celebration. Each sodality belonging to the Union is to elect a candidate and will represent his sodality as a candidate as King of the Celebration, at a special meeting to be held in Biloxi. The officers of the sodality nominated for the position of escort to the Queen of the May celebration five boys. They are: Jack Horne, Nick Foster, Gene Lyons, Jack Horne, Nick Foster, and Brian Daigle, of whom William Foster received the most votes. Let's see how he comes out in the big election in Biloxi.

Jack Horne suggested a change in the time of holding meetings on the grounds of the present time furnishes us with very little opportunity to argue out and settle important questions. Jack precipitated a fierce argument in which the redoubtable Mr. Ballard took the part of the Day scholars as opposed to Gene Lyons—the aggressive Mr. Lyons, if you please—who "stuck up" for the boarders. It all went fine till both gentlemen found out from Brother Edmund, arbitrator extraordinary, that they really had no grounds for battle.

And so the meeting was adjourned.

Next week we'll probably see the end of the big question about drinking that we've been trying to settle for the past three meetings.

The Sodality Picnic has been definitely scheduled for May 21.

HONOR ROLL.

Special Class: A. Fernandez 100; J. Tarry 97; Joe Gonzalez 97. Fourth Grade: Grevenburg 96; Robt. Grevenburg 96; Seuzeneau 96. Fifth Grade: Glover 95; Rugan 95; Stockton 95; Villa 95; Weidner 95; Wolbrecht 95. Sixth Grade: Hammer 100; Kathmann 95; Simpson 97; Henry Villa 97. Seventh Grade: Greagretter 96; Hammer 96; Henry 100; Perre 98; Velez 99. Eighth Grade: Stecklem 97; Flink 96; Garcia 96; Fayard 96; Price 96; Berton 96; App 96; Harper 97; Grevenburg 95. Ninth Grade: Leo Blaize 100; Cunningham 100; Favalora 100; Gennard 100; Gulotto 100; Ryland 100; Garcia 100; Spence 99; Fahy 98; C. Henry 98; Ladner 98; Lilley 98; Monahan 98; Wolbrecht 98; Van Cooster 97; Gonzales 96. Tenth Grade: B. Delcarpio 97; M. Sandoz 96; J. Hotter 96; J. Dam 96; Harding 100; Kidd 98; Posner 98; B. Sandoz 96; Smythe 98. Eleventh Grade: S. Ducass 96; H. Nunn 95; Andrade 98; Aylesworth 96; Hickman 99; Major 95.

COMMERCIAL GRADES' HOROSCOPE 1941.

The following was taken from the June 1941 edition of "Who's Who," all belong to Class '31, S. S. C. B. Foster, President of the United States.

J. Garst, Governor of Mississippi. V. Grenillon, Ozar of Baseball. B. Hayden, President of the A. B. Hayden Plumbing Co.

M. Koenig, Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. J. Lathier, Head of the Inter-Continental Air Line Transit.

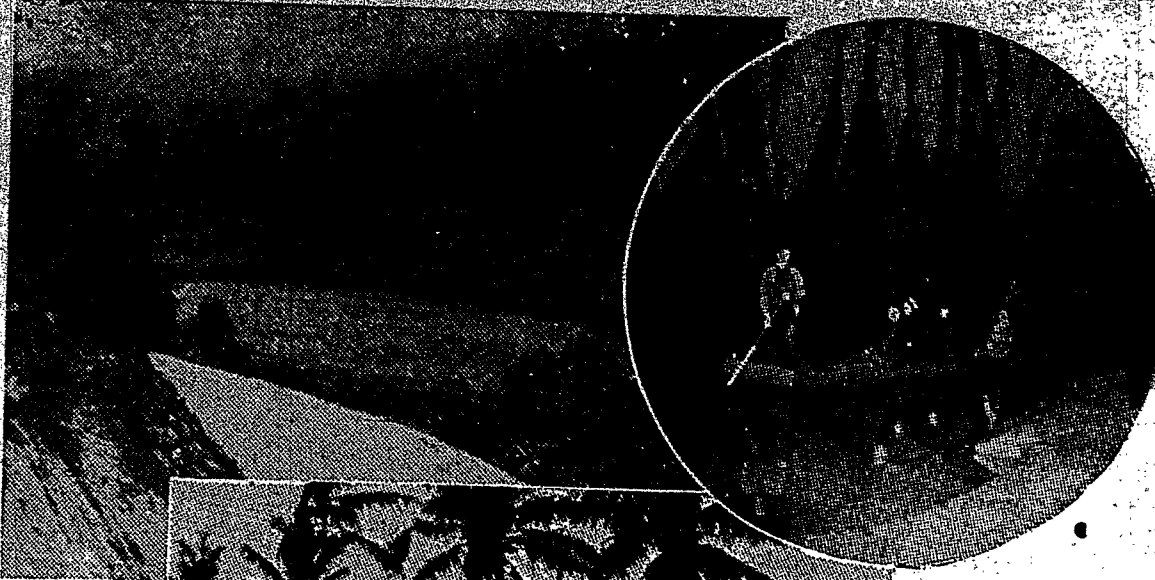
J. LeBlanc, Mayor of Maldon (Maldon) Miss. J. Lilly, Brigadier General of the U. S. Army.

G. Lyons, Governor of Louisiana. A. McCollister, Track Coach at Pennsylvania University.

T. Mozart, President of the Mozart Steamship Lines. R. Nechase, Head of United States Revenue Office.

P. Pennington, Admiral in the United States Navy.

New Highways Are Offering Many Delightful Trips to Southern Motorists



Above—View on the new scenic highway from Atlanta to Bristol, Va., completed the past winter. This highway passes through the "Land of the Sky" and is a gateway to the lovely Shenandoah Valley.

Mammoth Cave is now easily reached over Kentucky's new network of hard-surfaced roads.

Florida's many beautiful beaches are yearly the Mecca of thousands of motorists.

Standard Oil Touring Service Will Route Trips Free

In an effort to aid drought and unemployment relief during the Fall and Winter of 1930, much additional highway construction was undertaken in practically every state in the Union. This was particularly true of the South, where mild winters permit the continuance of construction through the winter months.

Many new through highways have been completed, many unpaved gaps in highways have been hard-surfaced, so that this spring the roads of the South offer the Southern motorist the most alluring picture they have ever presented.

Following the example of North Carolina, which floated large bond issues several years ago in order

to build hard-surfaced roads throughout the state, many other Southern states have floated bond issues and there has been an almost immediate improvement in the main highways. Construction has been at high pitch in these states.

In whatever direction the Southern motorist wishes to go—north, east, south or west—to the mountains, to the seashore, to the metropolitan cities, to the National Parks—he can travel for hundreds of miles without leaving hard-surfaced highways.

Since last summer, an all-hard-surfaced short route has been completed between Atlanta and Bristol, Va., (gateway to the valley of Virginia) that cuts off 64 miles from the old route. This establishes a new and better connection for motorists who are headed for "the land of the sky." For those extending their trip north from Bristol, much improvement will be noted in U. S. Highway No. 11 through this historic and scenic region.

The last unpaved gaps in the main route through Alabama, be-

tween Tallahassee and Nashville, Tenn., will be completed in the immediate future. Extensive improvements in the main highways in Georgia, Kentucky and Florida have and are being made.

Progress has been rapid during the last few months in bringing Mammoth Cave in Kentucky to the status of a National Park. There is now a hard-surfaced highway to the cave, and improvements have already been made in the grounds.

The Standard Oil Touring Service is a free bureau of road information, operated by the Standard Oil Company Incorporated in Kentucky for the benefit of Southern motorists. This Touring Service keeps in constant touch with road conditions in every state in the Union, and routes trips for motorists over the best roads and by the shortest way. Address a letter or card to Standard Oil Touring Service, 426 West Bloom Avenue, Louisville, Ky., stating the starting point and destination of your trip, and maps and complete road information will be sent you free of charge.

Rail Spending Aids Business

A Message from L. A. Downs, President, Illinois Central System.



Dependable for 80 Years

When the railroads' spending power is curtailed, everyone else's earning power is unfavorably affected. Prosperous railroads are therefore essential to general prosperity.

The railroads have been subsisting on a restricted diet. In the best of recent years, despite economical management, their margin of net earnings has been extremely small. Hence recent revenue losses have forced them to reduce their spending drastically.

A sound program for general prosperity must provide a permanent betterment of this condition. If the railroads can increase their margin of net earnings in good times, they will not need to resort to such extreme reductions of spending in dull times.

The railroads cannot be a major factor in stabilizing business if they are forced to operate year after year on a too narrow margin of net earnings.

Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

L. A. Downs

Chicago, May 1, 1931.

THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL SYSTEM

The purchases of this railroad, made principally in the territory in which it operates, have long been strong supports of midwestern and southern business progress.

PIGGY WIGGLY

HELPS THOSE WHO HELP THEMSELVES

Opposite L. & N. Depot. BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.
SPECIALS—FRIDAY & SATURDAY.

BUTTER Brookfield per lb.	25c
COFFEE UNION per lb.	25c
COFFEE LUZIANNE per lb.	28c
SOAP Large Laundry 10 bars	25c
SOAP POWDER 3 pkgs.	10c
OLIVES Quart Jars	29c
CORN BEEF, Armour's Per can	19c
POTTED MEAT Armour's 7 cans	25c
VIENNA SAUSAGE Armour's 3 cans	25c
MILK Aromur's Tall Cans 2 for	15c
PORK & BEANS 4 Cans	25c
RICE 5 LBS.	24c
SUGAR 10 LBS.	50c
CATSUP 14 oz. Bottle 2 for	25c
SALAD DRESSING, Pt. Jars	23c
MATCHES Large Boxes 2 for	5c
TOMATOES No. 2 Cans 3 for	25c
No. 1 Cans, Each	5c
ORANGES Nice size per doz.	19c
ORANGES Large Size, dozen	29c
FLOUR 24 lbs. Self Rising	69c
VEAL ROUNDS	28c
VEAL CHOPS	25c
VEAL SHOULDERS	20c



VEAL STEW 2 lbs. for	25c
BEEF ROAST	25c
BEEF ROUNDS	25c
WEINIES per lb.	19c
SPRING CHICKENS lb.	32c
SALT MEAT	15c
HAM Swift Premium, whole or 1/2	25c

Birthday Party

Miss Claire Schwartz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Schwartz of Lake Shore, celebrated her sixteenth birthday Tuesday, April 28, with a birthday party. Games were played and refreshments served. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Green and family, Mrs. J. P. Usher and family, Mrs. Redonich, Mrs. Lashley, Miss Bessie Cuevas, Harold Bourgeois, Miss Vivian Green, Sidney Bourgeois, Miss Genevieve Schwartz, Arthur Bourgeois, Eva Ray Usher, T. J. Bourgeois, Fred Bourgeois, Victor Schwartz, August Usher, Mildred O'Farrell.

MRS. MEYERS DIES

Word has been received here of the death Friday of last week of Mrs. Henry L. Meyer of Nyack-on-Hudson, N. Y., at the home of her daughter in Brooklyn, following pneumonia from which she did not rally. Mrs. Meyer was the mother of the late Mrs. Father McDonald, who spent some time in the hospital here before her death. Mrs. Meyer was a member of the Methodist church and was a devoted mother and wife.

TO REBUILD THE

TULANE HOTEL

Work began this week on the rebuilding of the Tulane Hotel on North Beach Boulevard which was destroyed some months ago by fire. Those portions of the building left by the ravages of the fire are to be utilized in the plan for the reconstruction of the building, which, it is understood, is to be turned into an apartment house. The owner is Mrs. D. H. Boyle and for several years has been engaged in catering to the public by the popular hotel and her action in rebuilding is greeted with interest. The contract for the work has been let to Garcia and Carr.

In Charge of Program.

Mrs. Niles D. Griffiths of Bay St. Louis, personal service chairman of the Women's Missionary Union of the Harrison County Baptist Association, was in charge of the program at the quarterly conference of the association held at the Bay St. Louis Hotel last night. The program was well received and the conference was a success.

The Sea Coast Echo

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the August, 1931, primaries:

For Governor—
JUDGE PAUL B. JOHNSON
LESTER FRANKLIN

For Lieutenant Governor—
DENNIS MURPHY

For Attorney General—
GREEK L. RICE

For Commissioner of Agriculture—
J. C. HOLTON

For State Tax Collector—
L. O. (RUNT) MURPHY

For R. R. Commissioner—
(2nd District Southern)
C. M. (RED) MORGAN
GEO. T. DENNIS SR.

For District Attorney—
(2nd Judicial District)
WM. M. COLMER

For Penitentiary Trustee—
THAD F. ELLZEY
(Hancock County)

For Representative—
ROBT. L. GENIN

For County Clerk—
A. G. (RED) FAVRE

For Sheriff and Tax-Collector—
HORACE L. KERGOSIEN

For County Assessor—
L. J. NORMAN

For Co. Supt. Education—
GEORGE W. HILLIS
ALBERT S. McQUEEN
D. J. EVERETT

For Supervisor—Beat 5—
H. W. DRIVER

For Contable—Beat 5.
MARK OLIVER
JOHN J. FAYARD

CITY ECHOES.

—W. S. Awtry of Rome, Ga., spent the week end at Bay St. Louis visiting friends.

—Mr. J. C. Roland of the Atlas Drug Store was a business visitor to New Orleans on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pitcher of North Beach Boulevard motored to Browns Wells for a week.

—Mrs. Henry W. Osoinach and little son left last week for a ten-day visit to relatives in Memphis, Tenn.

—Fred Roemer of New Orleans is spending a week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roemer, Sr., and his father-in-law Alcide Ladner.

—Iris Koener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Koener of Bay St. Louis, underwent a minor operation Monday at the King's Daughters Hospital Gulfport.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Jackson of New Orleans spent Wednesday in this city, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hart.

—Miss Thelma Eagan came down from Montgomery Saturday evening to spend Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Eagan.

—Don't forget Mother's Day and come to BOUDIN'S Store—Sweet Peas, Flowers, 3 dozen for 25c. All colors. Leave your order. Phone 58.

—Wild dewberries are ripening and plentiful just now, and as the season has been most favorable they are larger and sweeter than ever.

—Mr. James Sylvester, for several years past Ford automobile salesman with Edwards Bros., is now with the local Chevrolet agency.

—Messrs. J. Gilbert and Jerry Gordon have recently been added to the sales force of the Edwards Bros. Motor Company.

—Mrs. Celine Fayard, Ascraft and Miss Luvina Saucier, spent the week end in Bay St. Louis, registering at the Forest Hotel.

—Mr. Gus Fayard is at home visiting his mother, Mrs. Octave Fayard. Mr. Fayard is connected with the American Telephone and Tel. Co., stationed at Wickliffe, Ky.

—Mrs. Robert P. Hyams and daughters arrived at Waveland this week, being among the first of the summer residents to open their beach homes for the season.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wolfe of New Orleans spent Thursday here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Wolfe at their pretty Main street home.

—Mrs. Albert Davis of St. Louis is the attractive houseguest of Mrs. Sarah Powers. Mrs. Davis is a yearly visitor to Bay St. Louis and is always welcomed with the warmest of welcomes.

—S. L. Engman and L. S. Elliott of Bay St. Louis have participated in the production of the play Captain Applejack, given by a group of Pass Christian actors in four appearances in Coast towns, two in Gulfport, one in Bay St. Louis and one in Biloxi.

—Mr. Julius A. Mauffray, for many years a resident of Mississippi City and now of Houston, Texas, is the guest for an indefinite stay of the family of Jos. O. Mauffray of Bay St. Louis, brother to the late husband of Mrs. Mauffray.

—Mrs. Mary H. Jones of Bay St. Louis who is in attendance this week end at the Mississippi Educational Association convention at Jackson, Miss., is a member of the local association.

—The Bay St. Louis Missions Guild, under the leadership of Mrs. Bessie Givens, will give a concert at the Catholic church on Sunday night, May 2, for the benefit of the Catholic school who are in need of funds.

Special Prices? YES!

And They Apply Every Day Of The Week.

"These are not Saturday Specials. They are typical every day prices selected from many others just as attractive that apply every day of the week."

"A Special for Saturday is an admission that you are being charged too much on other days of the week."

Special Prices every day at COAST SERVE SELF STORE

CABBAGE

Home Grown, lb. 1c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

BUTTER

Brookfield, lb. 25c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

COFFEE

Maxwell House, lb. 29c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

PRUNES

Small Size, lb. 5c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

PINEAPPLE

Large No. 2 1/2 Cans 2 FOR 45c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

Small 2 FOR 25c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

CORN FLAKES

Kellogg's 2 FOR 15c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

LARD

Swift's Jewel, 1 lb. Carton 10c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

BACON

Sliced, lb. 17 1/2c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

D. S. SHOULDERS

Half or Whole, lb. 12 1/2c

This price in force on Saturday and every other day of the week.

COAST SERVE SELF

STORE NO. 3
201 Front Street
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

(By Our Society Editor)

ENTERTAINING CAST AND FRIENDS AT DANCE.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Thornhill Broome of Pass Christian to the members of the cast of the play, Captain Applejack and their friends, for a dance the night of May 8, at the Pass Christian Yacht Club. The group of players who have prepared the play, and who recently twice at Gulfport, the second time on special request, once in Biloxi and once in Bay St. Louis, have enjoyed a pleasing popularity with the Coast audiences who have been delighted with the performances. Mrs. Broome, who directed the play and sponsored the production for the benefit, has already complimented the cast at dinner several times.

ENTERTAINS MUSIC CLUB.

The members of the Schubert Music Club of Bay St. Louis were entertained Wednesday afternoon at cards and tea by Mrs. Thornhill Broome at her Pass Christian home. Mrs. Broome had cooperated with the club as dramatic director for the operetta, The Lost Necklace, given in Bay St. Louis recently as a benefit. Following a pleasant evening of cards a dainty tea was served from a beautifully appointed service in a setting of lovely spring flowers.

GREETED ON BIRTHDAY

Alexander Allison, beloved resident of North Beach Boulevard, who celebrated his 80th birthday Tuesday of this week was surprised Sunday afternoon by about 30 of his friends who assembled at the home of Dr. and Mrs. James A. Evans and went on to the Allison home to greet him, changing the date of the greeting because of Mr. Allison's planned absence from the Bay on Tuesday.

The visit in the rose garden at the Allison home was a delight as this fancie of lovely flowers showed his guests his many beautiful plants. One climbing pink rose was covered with fully 2000 blossoms at this time. About 50 new bushes have been added to the garden this season augmenting the former garden with many favorites. Sunday morning eight baskets of roses from this charming garden decorated the First Methodist church, a thoughtful courtesy of the owner to share his flowers with his friends.

CLEAN UP WORK AGAIN STRESSED

The problem of having Bay St. Louis and vicinity present an attractive, clean appearance to the summer visitors is being stressed by the Bay St. Louis Chamber of Commerce which set beautification and clean up as major projects of the year's activities. Summer approaches rapidly and at that time the usual influx of many visitors to this section is expected. In order to be prepared, paint, white wash and clean up, it is urged.

GARDEN SHOW

The Pass Christian Garden Club will hold its annual flower show Friday, May 1, with the flowers displayed in the Rafferty building, the show being open from 2 to 6 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. The public is invited to attend. During the day the gardens of club members will be open to the public for inspection.

Child Struck By Car.

The two-year-old Labat child, colored, was struck by an auto Friday and taken to the King's Daughters Emergency hospital for treatment. The name of the driver of the car, said to be a travelling man from St. Louis, was not learned. It is understood that the child suffered slight injuries.

—Among the visitors to Bay St. Louis during the past week was Mr. J. Ed McQueen of Atlanta, Ga., who spent a few hours as the guest of relatives. He represents the interests of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation in several Southern States.

—Among those from Bay St. Louis who were guests at the convention of the Louisiana Bankers' Association at the Edgewater Gulf Hotel the first of this week were Leo Seal and R. C. Engman of the Hancock County Bank and Geo. B. Bea of the Merchants Bank & Trust Co.

—Several local hunters who from time are bragging about their prowess as turkey hunters have been out in Devil's swamp and across Pearl River lately but The Echo has yet to hear of any one of them bagging a gobbler.

—Tires and gas were stolen from several cars parked in front of the high school building Tuesday night while their owners were witnessing the dramatic entertainment. So far The Echo has not learned of any arrests being made.

There has been a scarcity of crabs until the past few days, but they are now reported plentiful and are both large and fat. When properly prepared there is no other sea food that can compare with the lowly but vicious hard shell crab.

A party composed of Mrs. E. J. Leonard, Misses Miriam, Engman and Levia Engman, Miss Hilda Sick of Bay St. Louis and Miss Betty Huber of Richmond Hill, New York, motored to Pascagoula Tuesday night to attend an initiation meeting of the Order of the Star.

But of the present time there has been little interest manifested in local political circles, but just wait a few weeks and then the kettle will begin to boil. There are numerous candidates and all of them are campaigning very quietly and are not to be taken for granted.

The usual amount of enthusiasm evidenced in past political contests. May not the absence of excitement and enthusiasm be taken to mean that the voters have already made up their minds as to how and for whom they are going to cast their ballots? It looks that way to The Echo.

C. B. Mollere

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LUZIANNE Coffee and Chicory	25c
CRACKERS Eclipse 2 lbs.	25c
BUTTER Brookfield or Clover-Pound	25c
MILK Magnolia 2 Cans	25c
SOAP Octagon large bars 5 for	24c
GREEN COFFEE good, 2 lbs.	15c
FLOUR S. R. 24 lbs.	60c
TOMATOES No. 1 Can	5c
PRUNES Nice size, lb.	5c
SALT Avery, 2 pkgs.	5c

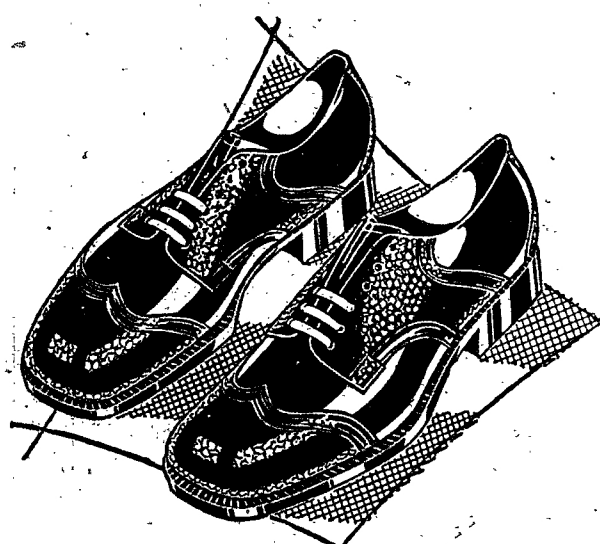
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Visit In Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau of Carroll avenue are enjoying a pleasant three weeks' visit in San Antonio, Texas, as guests of Mr. Moreau's nephew-in-law and niece, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Graves and Mr. Moreau's sister, Mrs. Muller. They write that this is bluebonnet time in South Texas and that the landscape is blue with this typical flower.

Sent To Alabama.

James Earl Harmon who has been under treatment at the local King's Daughters Emergency Hospital almost three months recuperating from a broken left leg and sprained right ankle sustained in a fall from a train, was able to be sent Wednesday to his home in Anniston, Ala.

"Babe" Ruth, baseball mighty slinger of home runs, is out of the game for a couple of weeks due to a bad case of "charley horse" developed in a game played at Boston last Saturday.

The Change. She was the ray of sunshine. That brightened up his life. That dazzled till he asked her to be his sunny wife. So with his ray of sunshine. He said the marriage vow. But on these quick divorces. She's just his ex-ray now.

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Bookkeeper, middle-aged man—experienced. Apply by mail, "B. C." care Sea Coast Echo.

FOR SALE

One cypress skiff in very good condition. Reasonable. Phone 379.

FOR SALE

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Young man to establish agency to sell wrist and pocket watches to consumers. Good proposition and liberal commission to proper man. Standard merchandise only. LEOPOLD ROSENBERG, Jewellers, 431 Canal Bank Building, New Orleans.

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Singer Sewing Machine almost new, \$25.00; New Home Machine, guaranteed to be O. K., \$10.00; Iron Bed and Springs, complete, \$3.00; One Computing Scale, \$20.00; 2 Men's Bicycles; Roll Top Desk, \$7.50—Sewing machines repaired and for rent. Cutler's Grocery, 212 St. Francis at Spanish Trail. Phone 406-J.

Undeceiving

She—Anybody would think I was nothing but a cook in this family. Husband—Unless they ate a meal here—Judge.

—Life.